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VETERANS' MEETING.

Buffalo In Gala Attire For the G. A. R. Encampment.

CAMP JEWETT IS THE RENDEZVOUS.

Named In Honor of the Mayor of the City—It Overlooks Lake Erie, the Mouth of the Niagara River and the Canadian Shore.

Buffalo, Aug. 23.—Buffalo is all ready for the army of veterans who are on their way here to attend the thirty-first annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. Hundreds of veterans and their friends have arrived, and they are still coming in by thousands. The various railroads entering Buffalo report that in addition to the hundreds of regular trains schedules have been prepared for 245 specials to arrive here by tomorrow noon. Among the prominent arrivals are J. Cory Winans, chief of Commander in Chief Clarkson's staff; General J. R. Lewis, past junior vice commander, and General Daniel Ross of Wilmington, Del., a candidate for junior vice commander in chief.

Camp Jewett, as the city of tents is known, is all ready for its inhabitants, and while it will not be formally opened until this afternoon, a number of posts are already installed. Ample arrangements have been made at the camp and elsewhere for the care of the sick. Three hospital tents have been erected at Camp Jewett, each in charge of a competent staff of physicians.

The camp is named in honor of the mayor of Buffalo and is situated at the Front, a broad plaza on the city park system, adjoining Port Porter and overlooking Lake Erie, the mouth of the Niagara river and the Canadian shore. At its entrance on Porter avenue, a few blocks below the reviewing stands, is an arch. It is made to resemble granite and forms an imposing entrance.

The tents in Camp Jewett are mostly of the round class known as Indian tepee. They are arranged in streets, the central avenue being named in honor of General Grant. On the north the streets are named after Generals Sheridan, McClellan, Meade, Pope and Burnside. Those to the south side are Sherman and McCook. The cross avenues are Franklin, Porter, Hancock, Rosencrans, Hooker, McDowell, Schofield, McPherson, Stanley, Logan, Halleck, Bell, Thomas and Granger.

At the exit from the camp and on the line of the Fort Porter ramparts stands the fifth and last arch. It is in the form of a horseshoe and is finished in imitation iron.

The honor of flying the first pennant from any tent at Camp Jewett belongs to Reno post, No. 4, of Williamsport, Pa. Clayton P. White of Williamsport was the first veteran to arrive and is quartered on the steamer Idaho, which has been assigned to the naval posts.

Candidates For Commander.

Among the late announcements of candidates to succeed Commander in Chief Clarkson are the names of John C. Linehan of New Hampshire, George H. Innis of Massachusetts, James A. Sexton of Chicago, and General J. P. S. Gobin of Pennsylvania.

Colonel Winans of General Clarkson's staff estimates the number of visitors to Buffalo during the week at 200,000, making the largest encampment ever held. In speaking of the choice of the veterans for the next encampment, Colonel Winans said, so far as his information went, there was but one choice among the delegates, and that was Cincinnati.

There seems to be a feeling, he said, among some of the eastern people that San Francisco wants the encampment, but that is a mistake. San Francisco is preparing to make a bid in 1899.

With regard to the encampment being held in Richmond, he said, there is nothing in it. The people down there don't want it, and the boys do not care to go there. The status of the negro is so different in the south from that in the north that it would probably cause much unpleasantness.

Notwithstanding this view, the Young Men's Business association of Richmond has opened headquarters here and are making quite an effort to secure the encampment.

In conclusion, he said, in his estimates, Pennsylvania would send the most people to the encampment, with New York second and Ohio third in attendance.

Buffalo In Gala Attire.

Buffalo has put on an elaborate garment of red and white and blue to welcome the war heroes. Her bouquets required the reaping of acres of flower gardens, her jewels are a myriad of electric lights, and her brooch will be a living thing, fashioned as a monster shield. The red stripes, the white stripes, the blue field and the stars, will be made up of children from the schools, 4,000 of them in all.

Bunting of the color of the flag, draped, suspended, woven and festooned, floats everywhere. Here and there a knot of black crape stands out in somber relief from the profusion of gay colorings, telling its story of those whom death has mustered from the long line of blue. Buildings, public and private, on almost every street bear proof of the work that has been going on for weeks, of the lavish expenditure of money, of ingenuity, skill and art. Nearly every window in the business section has some catchy design intended to compliment the old soldiers. Life figures of men in blue and gray grasping each other by the hand, stacks of arms entwined with the stars and stripes, tents, glowing campfires and everything pertaining to the incidents and art of war served for the decoration maker.

The broad asphalt streets, for which the city is far famed, stretch a long white pathway beneath the overhanging decorations and between the walls of draped buildings. On Main street opposite the Erie County Bank building and St. Paul's church, and at the junction of several streets, forming what is generally regarded the business center of the city, stands the welcome arch. It is a monster structure in the form of a monogram composed of the letters "G. A. R." The arch, or span, is formed by the legs of the letter A, which is in white, while the G and R are in red and blue. This is surmounted by two beautiful shields, standing on which is a golden eagle bearing in its beak an electric device with the word "Welcome." This is a thing of beauty by day and a pillar of fire by night, its illumination being accomplished by 2,500 electric lights.

PRISONERS ESCAPE.

The Jailer In Ignorance Until Notified by Another Convict.

Kingston, N. Y., Aug. 23.—Robert Smith, jailer of the Ulster County Jail to his great astonishment, was awakened by James Reynolds, who is serving a 60 days' sentence, who told him that three of the prisoners had sawed off the bars off a window and escaped and that he had crawled through the hole so as to inform the jailer. Upon going into the jail Smith found the information correct, as four iron bars of the inner and outer gratings that covered the rear hall corridor of the second story had been sawed out, leaving an opening about 14 inches square through which they had escaped.

The prisoners who had escaped were John Boylan, who burglarized the residence of Editor John W. Searing of this city and who was caught in New York while in a drunken sleep loaded down with silver and jewelry; William Lasher, indicted for burglary in Saugerties and Charles Sullivan, a bicycle thief. They had lowered themselves to the ground with strips from a blanket.

Owing to the hot weather none of the prisoners had been locked in their cells, but were allowed access to the hall. The others were asleep when the burglars finished cutting the bars and did not awaken till the jailer entered. One of these, Joseph Decker, who ambushed, shot and killed William Gardiner of the town of Gardiner in a cornfield, lay on his bed fast asleep. Sheriff Schantz, who lives at Highland, was notified. A reward was offered for the capture of the prisoners, who are still at large.

THE BOHEMIAN RIOTS.

An Anti-Jewish Mob Attack the Police and Destroy Property.

Pilsen, Bohemia, Aug. 23.—The disturbances begun on Friday by the fanatical opponents of the Jews have been resumed. They arose out of a quarrel between a German-Jewish student and a Bohemian student named Schmidt. While the police were escorting Hartmann from the town hall an anti-Jewish mob attacked them and then smashed all the windows in the synagogue, the Jewish schools and the houses of the best known Jews.

The authorities called out the military to suppress the riots, and the troops paraded the town from 4 until 11 p. m., when a regular system of military patrol was established.

An order has been issued forbidding public meetings of any kind, directing all householders to close their houses at 9 o'clock in the evening and warning the heads of families to keep their apprentices and assistants indoors after 7:30 p. m.

The police have made 29 arrests.

EXCITEMENT IN PARIS.

The Rise In the Price of Bread Causes Much Uneasiness.

London, Aug. 23.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Paris says: "The rise in the price of bread is the cause of no little agitation. There is even talk of summoning a special session of the chamber of deputies to discuss the matter. Market rigging is an important factor in the rise.

"At Marseilles the popular effervescence is much greater than here, and the mayor of the city has issued a provisional scale of prices. The cause of the rise there is the scheme of a syndicate of wheat merchants to force the government to reduce the wheat duties. The price has risen since last night. Today the importers and millers at Marseilles held a long conference, and such is the popular feeling that the authorities are taking steps to prevent an outbreak."

Arrival of Alleged Filibusters.

Philadelphia, Aug. 23.—The British teamer Ethelwold, Captain List, has arrived at this port from Port Antonio, Jamaica, having on board as passengers, in addition to Commissioner of Navigation Eugene Tyler Chamberlain and Dr. Parker of Washington, 12 of the crew of the alleged filibustering steamship Bermuda, which had been seized out there by the British government. It was learned from Mr. Chamberlain that Captain Murphy of the Bermuda had been adjudged guilty of violation of the quarantine laws and sentenced to pay a fine of £100 or to undergo 30 days' imprisonment. He chose the latter and is now serving his time. The Bermuda will be sold by the British authorities.

The Late Senator George's Will.

Carrollton, Miss., Aug. 23.—The late Senator George in his will makes the following disposition of his property: To his sister, Mrs. Wilson, he gives $1,000, to his sisters, Mrs. Comfort and Mrs. Turner, each $500. The law library goes to J. W. George, and the political library to J. Z. George, Jr., a grandson. The balance of his books are divided among the other heirs.

A Woman Drowned.

Monument, Mass., Aug. 23.—Miss Mary Kelleher, 45, a domestic in the employ of B. E. Jones of Brockton, a summer resident here, while getting into a small rowboat from a yacht was thrown into the water by the boat capsizing and drowned. Her body was washed ashore this morning. Another lady of the party was also thrown into the water, but was rescued by Robert Burgess.

FROM THE GOLD BELT

News of the Lynching of a Man Caught Stealing Baggage.

ADVICE FROM CUSTOMS OFFICERS.

They Recommend the Miners to Buy Their Provisions In Canada, When They Will Escape Duty—Icebergs Make Navigation Dangerous.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 23.—The Union Steamship company's steamer Coquitlam has arrived from Skaguay direct. There were but 700 persons in Skaguay on their arrival, and Dyea was practically deserted. All the rest were in the passes.

Passengers who came down on the Coquitlam say that there was a report current in Skaguay at the time they left to the effect that a Seattle man who had been caught stealing baggage was hanged to a tree by a committee of miners. The man's name is not known, but the report is generally believed, notwithstanding the statements of American customs officials, that all reports of lawlessness were untrue.

The gold seekers are treated by the American customs officers with the greatest courtesy. All of the Coquitlam's passengers started through White pass. The customs officers charged 20 per cent on horses to Canadians, as they believe that the horses will never reach Canadian territory again alive.

They were advised to nail up their provisions and buy what they wanted on their way to Canada. Then no duty would be charged at all if they gave their verbal promise that they were for their own consumption. Canadians are loud in their praise of American courtesy and justice.

Navigation Dangerous.

The mouth of the Taku river is full of icebergs and extremely dangerous to many almost waterlogged boats which have been sent to Dyea. The Americans recommend Chilkat pass, but the greatest rush into the Klondike, say returning passengers, is being made by way of White Horse pass. This pass, however, is boggy and full of quicksand in places, and many horses have been drowned. The mounted police left by this trail.

Skagway presented an extremely picturesque appearance when the Williametta, Star and Rapid Transit landed 1,000 passengers. Some 700 miners stood in the water with rubber boots. Their tanned faces had a "do or die" expression on them. They were holding a meeting, and it was cooler in the water than on land.

The meeting was to decide whether or not as Americans they should open the Chilkat pass or the White pass, which is run by an English company.

Volunteers were called for to start to work on the old trail early next morning and promised big pay, but no one came forward, and White pass, with all its dangers, was chosen as the quickest route.

Pitiful Condition of Gold Seekers.

San Francisco, Aug. 23.—A special from Dyea, Alaska, Aug. 14, tells of the pitiful condition of many of the searchers for gold, who are now stopping at Dyea, unable to proceed farther on their journey, owing to lack of funds for provisions.

Many of those now in Dyea are physically unable to make the trying trip, and there are many who will suffer great hardships before the winter is over. Many of those who arrived on the steamer Williametta are absolutely without shelter, seemingly having come to this cold region depending on the open heartedness of others to keep them living.

Many of the people who are unable to reach Dawson this winter have two tons of provisions and no possible means of transportation. One man has over 3,000 pounds, which he is trying to pack over White pass in lots of 75 pounds each, making short relays. Thieves have been operating extensively, and many tents, tools and much ammunition and money have been stolen. Already a vigilance committee is spoken of, and unless the thefts cease trouble will follow.

Tried to Collect Tolls.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 23.—The steamer Coquitlam, from Dyea and Skaguay, brings word that a man has been banished from Skaguay by prospectors for attempting to collect a toll of 50 cents from each person crossing a tree which he had felled across a creek on the trail. He was given 12 hours to get out. The day the steamer left five men arrived with $40,000 in gold dust.

Well Known Railroad Man Dead.

Norwich, Conn., Aug. 23.—George A. Harris died at his home in Preston at the age of 57. Mr. Harris was for many years well known in railroad circles throughout New England. He was for nine years division freight agent of the New England railroad, holding the position until failing health compelled him to retire from active business. He was a thirty-second degree Mason. He leaves a wife and five children.

Trooper Shoots Himself.

Burlington, Vt., Aug. 23.—John Moltke, private, troop C, Third cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, committed suicide in the troop barracks. He put the revolver in his mouth and shot himself, dying instantly. He was in love with a fickle woman of this city, who would not return his affections.

Anarchists Meet In London.

London, Aug. 23.—The anarchists have held a meeting in Trafalgar square, and the utterances of some of the speakers provoked disorderly scenes. The police, however, had taken precautions which effectually prevented any serious developments.

A CONFLICT IN CAMP

Three Strikers Wounded In a Saloon Discussion.

QUARREL OVER GOING BACK TO WORK.

One Man Shot Near the Heart, Another In the Eye, and a Third Slashed With a Razor—The Injured Will Recover.

Pittsburg, Aug. 23.—Religious services were held in several of the strikers' camps yesterday, and all were largely attended, but notwithstanding the religious spirit pervading the camps, a conflict between workers and strikers took place in the afternoon, during which three strikers were badly hurt, but none is in a serious condition. Five of the men who are working for the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company went to William Seamon's boarding house, about a mile and a half from Oak Hill tipple, where a number of strikers are quartered, for the purpose of persuading the strikers to go to work. The meeting was a stormy one and resulted in Antonio Podasky being shot near the heart, the bullet going almost through his body. Grongron Pimolo was shot in the eye, and Botiste Dalmeso was cut with a razor. The injured men are all strikers.

This was the only disturbance recorded at the camps. The aggressive workmen escaped before the men on the Oak Hill camp were aware of the fight. The report that Sandy Creek camp will be abandoned is denied by the strikers, and they say that the men will be sent there from Plum Creek and Turtle Creek.

In addition to the general missionary work for the week the leaders have decided to direct especial work to the prevention of operations at the Sandy Creek mine. The strikers say that they will continue their marching tactics, claiming that under the ruling of Judge Goff in the West Virginia cases they are given this right.

Samuel De Armitt said that from 150 to 175 men will be at work in the Plum Creek mine today. It is announced that the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company will make eight more evictions today from eight different company houses. It is not probable that there will be any trouble.

The sheriff does not say what course he will pursue should marching begin, but thinks he is ready to meet every emergency.

Sympathy for the strikers by the farmers and citizens is not diminishing in the least. Yesterday there were about 700 visitors to the camp at Sandy Creek. Many of the farmers who came brought wagonloads of provisions. Citizens of New Texas sent word that they had plenty of food for the men and wanted them to call on them when needed.

Want All States to Be Represented.

Developments in the coal mining situation in the Pittsburg district will be watched with unusual interest this week. Both sides were apparently at rest yesterday, but it was developed that at the conference today there will probably be a disruption. By many it is believed that M. D. Ratchford, the national president of the miners' organization, will not be present. It is claimed that he will stick to his original assertion that he will not agree to arbitrate unless all the states involved are represented. It is a well known fact that the operators of other states will not join the local operators in the movement for arbitration.

If Ratchford is obdurate, the conference will be useless. From a reliable source it was learned that if the operators start mines on the lines laid down other mines will also be started by the miners. It is proposed to select operators who are not represented at the conference and who are friendly to the miners. Permission will be given to mine coal at the rate demanded and have the coal stored. By this means it is expected to raise a fund from the union miners who happen to be working and with this fund pay the expenses of a fight against imported labor.

The miners are making arrangements to have a fund on hand to send foreign labor home just as fast as it arrives. With mines operated under the jurisdiction of the labor leaders and with operators who are friendly, who reap a profit, they hope to have available a large fund. This plan has been outlined and will be submitted to the national officers if the conference proves a failure.

Agitators at Work.

Dubois, Pa., Aug. 23.—Various efforts have been made during the past week by agitators to induce the miners of this place to join the strikers. The alleged labor leaders have been unable to get a meeting of the miners and have met with little encouragement through personal solicitation. Saturday afternoon a printed notice, without a signature, was conspicuously posted about town calling a meeting of the Rochester and London miners at Reeves' park this morning.

The notices were no sooner posted than the pit committee of those mines issued notices that the call was unauthorized and that there would be no such meeting. The agitators sent to this region have been unable to get pit committees to call a meeting, and the mines are working steadily.

During the strike in 1894 many important contracts were lost by operators of this region, and work has since been poor up to the outbreak of the present strike in the Pittsburg region, since which time the mines here have been working on practically full time, and contracts that were lost are being regained.

Should the miners here conclude to strike, these contracts and others would be lost to them, and less work than ever would result for a long time.

OIL FOR NAVAL ENGINES.

Experiments Are to Be Made as to Its Adaptability.

Washington, Aug. 23.—The secretary of the navy has ordered Lieutenant Nathan Sargent to proceed at once to the oilfields of Pennsylvania, where he will make a careful investigation of the various grades of petroleum produced in that region, with a view to its use as fuel for marine engines. Upon the conclusion of this work he will report to the authorities in charge of the Newport torpedo station, and plans will be drawn for an oil engine, which will be placed in one of the new torpedo boats now being built by the Herreshoffs.

This will be the first attempt to use petroleum as fuel for the torpedo fleet, but from the success that has been attained with this motive force in swift steam launches owned by private parties both here and abroad the navy department looks very favorably on the experiment. Some of the advantages expected from the new fuel are economy of machine space and consequently greater fuel carrying capacity, economy in the cost of fuel and the ability to develop extremely high steam pressure under forced draft.

The plans for the new engine are not yet laid and will depend largely on the report of the various grades of petroleum at command. It is possible that with this innovation in fuel will be combined the use of the steam turbine engine, whose success in the English torpedo boat Turbina has marked a decided epoch in the development of these fleet footed destroyers abroad.

Thrown From His Wagon and Killed.

Thomaston, Conn., Aug. 23.—Felix Quigley, aged 68 years, living in Litchfield, died at the Thomaston House here from injuries received while driving. His horse shied at some bicyclists, and he was thrown from his vehicle, striking on his head. His son-in-law, Cornelius Maloney, chanced to be driving by just at that time and, placing the injured man in his wagon, drove him to the Thomaston House, where medical attendance was summoned. His skull was fractured at the base, and his left ear was torn completely off. The deceased leaves a wife, four sons and five daughters.

Fifty Mile Bicycle Race.

Denver, Aug. 23.—The 50 mile relay race between the Denver Wheel club and the Arapahoe Wheel club at Denver Wheel Club park was won by the former team by a mile and a sixth. The time was 2h. 8m. 39s. Before the race Amos Hughes broke the world's three mile unpaced flying start professional record of 7m. 11s., making the distance in 6m. 46 2-5s. Joe Heil broke the world's amateur record for two miles, unpaced, flying start, by making the distance in 4m. 27 2-5s. The former record was 4m. 39 4-5.

Officer Kills a Burglar.

Canton, O., Aug. 23.—Merchant Policeman Charles Hemminger surprised burglars in the basement of the Isaac Harter & Son's Savings bank. The burglars' lookout opened fire on the officer, and the latter shot one of the men who had been in the cellar. The burglar died at the hospital later without revealing his identity. The burglars had a big lot of tools and explosives in the cellar and were no doubt professionals. The bank is a strong one and generally believed to contain a large sum of money.

Three Men Missing.

Niagara Falls, Aug. 23.—Three men, whose names are unknown, hired a small boat at Lasalle, saying that they were going to row across the Niagara river to the Canadian shore. Nothing has been seen or heard of them since, and it is supposed that the current proved too strong for them and that they were swept over the Horseshoe falls on the Canadian side. Searching parties are out on both sides of the river looking for traces of the men or boat.

Thought to Have Been Lynched.

Memphis, Aug. 23.—Dr. John McGuire, a traveling dentist, is thought to have been lynched in Fayette county. He was bound over by the state at Fayette Corners on the charge of criminally assaulting a 10-year-old child named Carpenter. Officers started to take him to Somerville jail, but at a late hour he had not reached that place. It is thought a mob took him from the officers and lynched him.

For a Renewal of Grecian War.

Athens, Aug. 23.—A great meeting of over 3,000, held here, have adopted an address to King George, urging him and the government to reject the proposed peace treaty between Greece and Turkey and to resume the hostilities which were interrupted by the truce. The entire press, however, and a great majority of the public of Athens condemn the agitation for a resumption of the war.

Davis Will Case Settled.

Salt Lake City, Aug. 23.—A special from Butte, Mon., says it has been announced by the attorneys interested in the case that the famous Davis will contest had finally been settled by compromise, and that the valuable estate, which has been reduced by about $5,000,000 in seven years' litigation, will shortly be distributed among the various heirs and claimants.

Good Crop Prospects In India.

London, Aug. 23.—The Times correspondent at Simla says that good rains have fallen everywhere throughout India except in the districts of Bombay and Deccan, and the crops promise to be exceptionally large.

Indian Famine Nearly Over.

London, Aug. 23.—The numbers on the Indian relief list are steadily diminishing, and evidences of famine are rapidly disappearing.

ATTEMPTED MURDER

A Vermont Judge Shot and Seriously Wounded.

WAS ASSAULTED AFTER A QUARREL.

The Assailant Had Tried to Steal His Own Child From His Wife, Who Had Sued Him For Divorce—He Blamed the Judge For His Decision.

Woodstock, Vt., Aug. 23.—Hon. Thomas C Seaver, judge of probate for Windsor county, was shot by William W. Lawrence while standing on the piazza of his residence, the ball penetrating his right lung, lodging under the shoulder blade. The wounded man is reported as resting quietly, and the attending physician thinks he will recover, although his age, beyond 60 years, will tell against him. Lawrence surrendered himself to Sheriff Thomas after the shooting and was lodged in jail to await a hearing.

It is alleged that the troubles which led to the assault began early in 1896, when Mrs. Lawrence left her husband and child and applied to Judge Seaver for the appointment of a guardian over the child, who was about 7 years old.

It is said that Lawrence tried to steal the child from the parties who were caring for her under the direction of the guardian, Joseph C. Enright, then state attorney. Judge Seaver then granted an injunction restraining Lawrence from interfering with the girl in any way.

His Wife Sues For Divorce.

At the last session of the court Mrs. Lawrence petitioned for a divorce on the grounds of intolerable severity and refusal to support. The case was tried before Judge Start and dismissed because of insufficient evidence, the injunction was removed, and Lawrence was given permission to see his child. Lawrence conducted his own defense, refusing counsel.

He has greatly disliked Judge Seaver ever since the guardian was appointed, and he called upon the judge and entered into a hot discussion with him. The judge ordered Lawrence to leave the house and followed him to the door, where Lawrence drew a revolver and fired two shots, the first of which took effect as before stated.

At the jail Lawrence was searched, and a small quantity of morphine was found upon him, showing that he was undoubtedly a morphine eater, thus explaining why he has at times appeared to be mentally unbalanced.

Judge Seaver is highly respected and has been judge of the probate court for many years.

Steam Yacht Ashore.

New York, Aug. 23.—The steam yacht Adelia, supposed to be owned by parties connected with the Hoboken electric railway, in command of Captain Banta, ran ashore on the western side of Hoffman island, unshipping her rudder. In the party were two men and five women. They were taken off by Fred G. Milligan, Jr., and Louis Hoffman, employees at Hoffman island, who put them on board of an in bound fishing smack, which landed them at Hoboken. The names of the parties could not be ascertained. Six hours after grounding, the Adelia floated and was towed to Hoboken by the tug Nettie L. Tice.

Alleged Swindler Held.

New York, Aug. 23.—Eleazer L. Rogers, arrested on Friday last for attempting to pass a worthless check on the Morrison Book company, 267 Fifth avenue, has been held for trial in the Jefferson Market police court. Rogers is 25 years old and comes from Boston. The name of B. F. Bennett was forged to the check, which was for $22.50. It is said that he has swindled E. P. Dutton, Bloom Bros., S. Strauss & Sons, the Harris Suspender company and others.

Runaway Girls Arrested.

New York, Aug. 24.—Hattie Runyun, 15 years old, and Gussie Foster, 18 years old, ran away from their homes in Hawley, Pa., on Friday last. A detective found the girls living in East Twenty-eighth street and arrested them. In the Yorkville police court they expressed a desire to return home. They gave no reason for running away. A sister of the Foster girl was in court, and the girls were discharged in her custody.

Two Sudden Deaths.

Trenton, Aug. 23.—Two Trenton men have met sudden deaths. One of them was Theodore Striker, a well known citizen, 75 years of age. Mr. Stryker dropped dead while chasing some boys who had been stealing fruit from his yard. Thomas Kelly, a young man of 23, also dropped dead while standing in front of a mirror in his bedroom adjusting his necktie. Kelly had been subject to heart trouble.

Not an Anarchist, but a Patriot.

New York, Aug. 23.—Manuel Planos, the supposed Spanish anarchist, who arrived here on the Cunard liner Umbria, has proved to the satisfaction of the federal authorities that he is not an anarchist, but is a much persecuted Cuban patriot. He visited the barge office and has presented proofs of his statement, which satisfied the officials, and he will not be molested.

Peace Negotiations Fail.

Montevideo, Aug. 23.—As has been expected for the last fortnight, the peace negotiations between the government and the insurgents, which began on June 20, when an armistice was concluded, have failed, and it is officially announced that the war will go on.

Lynched by a Mob.

Williamsburg, Ky., Aug. 23.—Eleany Sullivan, convicted of criminal assault on Sarah Lawson and sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary, was taken from jail by a mob and hanged on the timbers of the county bridge across the Cumberland river.

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JACOB GUNTHER
DEALER IN
Foreign and Domestic Wines Liquors and Cigars.

Meals on the European Plan.

The Assembly Rooms for Balls and Entertainments.

MASONIC BUILDING, NORTH STREET
AGENT FOR OTTO HUEBER'S EXTRACT OF MALT. THE BEST IN THE WORLD.

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Hugh Mcp. Struble, late of the city of Middletown in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, the administrators of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at the office of D. F. Seward, 25 North street, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of November next.

Dated May 7th, 1897.

MARY E. STRUBLE, }
ALBERTH CORWIN, } Administrators.
D. F. SEWARD, Atty for Admrs., 25 North St, Middletown, N. Y. d1YrsaNov19

IN Pursuance of an order made by Hon. John J. Beattie, on the 7th day of May, 1897, notice is hereby given to all creditors and persons having claims against John Perriman and Leon Simpson, lately doing business at No. 21 Depot street, Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., under the firm name of Perriman & Simpson, both individually and as copartners, that they are required to present their claims with proper vouchers therefor, duly verified, to the subscriber, the assignee of the said John Perriman and Leon Simpson, for the benefit of creditors, at the office of his attorneys, on or before the 27th day of September, 1897.

CHARLES L. ELWOOD, Assignee.
VANAMEE, WATTS & VAIL, Attorneys for Assignee, 4 East Main St., Middletown, N. Y. 04dTuTh5pm

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, N. Y., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of [illegible] late of the town of [illegible] in said county, that they are required to present such claims or statements thereof, with proper vouchers or verification thereof, to the subscriber, the administratrix of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at her residence, in the town of Crawford, on or before the 6th day of December, 1897.

Dated June 2d, 1897.

ANNA THOMPSON, Administratrix
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IN pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Amanda Moore, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, the administrator and administratrix of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at their place of residence, in the city of Middletown, or on or before the 25th day of October next.

Dated April 14th, 1897.

WILLIAM P. MOORE, }
CLARA M. FISHER, } Administrators.
DILL & COX, Attys for Admrs. dTh6mOct5

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WHEN LYDDY'S COME.

I wish that I could go again
To that old spelling school,
Where we had fun on winter nights,
And helped to play the fool.
I spelled believe just like deceive,
And dropped the b in thumb,
Watching the door with anxious fear
Lest Lyddy shouldn't come.

When Lyddy, standing straight and trim,
Began her gum to chew,
My heart went raging up and down,
Worse than the wand'ring Jew;
I put a k in caraway,
A double m in hum,
And Friday's I changed off for y,
All just 'cause Lyddy'd come.

Bill Rogers he was worse than I,
If such a thing could be;
And I know once he spelled machine
With s and double e;
But let us get our letters set
Most anyway but numb,
Our side was always sure t' beat
On nights when Lyddy'd come

What prickles ran all down our backs,
How still the room would grow,
While master thro'a some word to find
That Lyddy didn't know!
Phthisic and schism, gneiss and chrism,
Oh, what we sat and mum,
For there was nothing else to do
On nights when Lyddy'd come!

When Lyddy'd come we didn't need
The light of stars or moon;
The winter nights seemed brighter then
Than days do now at noon,
For Lyddy's eyes made glad our skies,
And though she spelled us dumb,
Jehoshaphat, how proud we were
On nights when Lyddy'd come!
—A. M. L. Hawes, in Detroit Free Press.

MY LITTLE ADVENTURE.

By Willis B. Allen.

WE WERE both well tired out, one July evening in 1886, when we reached Chamounix, Fred, my old Latin school classmate, could bear mountain climbing, and, what was worse, mule-back riding, much better than I, so that, while I was glad to find my way to my room, in the top of the queer old hotel, at an early hour in the evening, Fred remained in the parlor, busily studying up maps and guides for an excursion over the Mer de Glace to the "Garden," a small, fertile spot, surrounded by eternal ice, in the very heart of the mountains.

Next morning he was off at four o'clock, leaving me to spend the day quietly in the valley. I was disturbed but once more before rising; this time by a herd of goats, who scrambled along under my window, with bells tinkling merrily enough.

In the course of the forenoon I strolled away, book in hand, following the course of the Arve for a little while, and then, striking off at right angles up the banks of a small brook, which joins the larger stream just above the village.

The air was soft and sweet with summer sunlight, and the breath of the silent forests, reaching from my feet higher and higher, until the front rank looked on these desolate, glittering fields of snow that crown Mount Blanc.

Beside the brook the velvety turf was dotted with wild forget-me-nots and pansies, growing there as confidently as if they were not in the very track of last year's avalanche.

At length I came to a spot where the brook had in ages past strewn its own path with fragments of huge rocks, which it had loosened and thrown down from some far-off height, where the foot of man never trod.

One gigantic bowlder lay completely across the original bed of the stream, and rose like a wall beside the water, that turned out of its way, and ran off with a good-natured murmur.

The sun here lay warm and bright, just counteracting the chill breeze that came from the glaciers through the narrow gorge. I gathered a few dry sticks, kindled a fire, just for company, and nestled comfortably down into an easy corner to read the rocks, the brook, the sky, and, if there were time left, my book, which, if I remember rightly, was "Redgauntlet."

How long I sat there I cannot tell. It must have been two or three hours, for it was past noon when I looked at my watch, threw the smoldering firebrands into the brook and rose to return to the hotel.

As I did so, I noticed half a dozen footsteps in the steep, sandy bank that formed the side of the ravine at this point. It suddenly occurred to me that I had read in my guide book, while I was sitting in my own room, six months before, of a certain waterfall, which, from the description, must surely be on this brook. Yes, I recollected the base of the zig-zag path, that we had seen as we rode along the valley, on our way from Tete Noire, late the preceding afternoon.

I was feeling much refreshed and rested by my siesta, and, by a short cut over this embankment, I could doubtless strike that path after a three minutes' scramble, as some one had evidently done before me.

So I would have a little adventure, and see one of the sights of Chamounix all by myself.

Certainly there was nothing rash in this resolve, or formidable in the undertaking, though a certain feebleness resulting from a recent ill turn at Geneva should have warned me against tasking my strength too severely.

At any rate, at it I went, laughing at the easiness of the ascent as I followed the broad footsteps of my predecessor. My calculation was that I should come out on the path at a point 75 to 100 feet above my starting place.

Before I had proceeded far, however, the convenient tracks abruptly ceased. Beyond, and on each side, there was nothing but the gravelly bank, with here and there a big rock, which seemed ready to drop at the lightest touch.

Plainly enough, the first climber had become discouraged at this point, and had picked his way to the bottom again. As I looked back, I was startled to observe the elevation which I had reached, and I involuntarily crouched closer to the earth, with a sensation as of tipping over backwards.

The movement, slight as it was, dislodged a clump of stones and sand, which went rolling and plunging down at a great rate to the brook, the sound of whose waters was now hardly audible. No wonder the man had given it up! Should I go on, or literally back down, as he had done?

My determination was stirred, and, although I heartily wished Fred was on hand with his sympathetic courage, I resolved to complete what I had begun.

It was tough work. Hands and knees now—and carefully placed every time, at that.

Once I very nearly lost my balance by the unexpected yielding of a large stone, which gave way under my foot. How fearfully long it was before I heard it smite on the bowlders below! I knew if I slipped, or missed one step, the impetus of a yard would send me after the stone. As I looked over my shoulder, it seemed like clinging to the slope of a cathedral roof, where a puff of wind might be fatal.

There was no question now as to the course I must take. It was "Excelsior" in sober earnest—only I didn't have the inspiration of a maiden, with a tear in her bright blue eye, looking on.

Steeper and steeper! I was panting heavily in the rarified atmosphere, and trembling from exhaustion. It was so terribly lonely. Nothing but the dark forms of the trees, the waste of ice and snow, and now and then a bird, winging its way silently over the gulf, until my brain whirled as I watched its slow flight.

By to-morrow they would miss me, and organize a search, with Fred at their head. They would find my footprints beside the brook, where I had leaped carelessly across after pansies; then they would come upon the blackened traces of the little fire, and the loosened gravel of the steep bank; they would look upward with a shudder, and search the harder. Pretty soon one of them would lean over a crevice among the bowlders, shrink back with a cry of horror and beckon to the others. All this if I failed by one step!

But still I worked on laboriously, often pausing for giddiness or a want of breath, and digging with my fingernails little hollows in the hard bank for my feet.

Once or twice a long, tough root of grass saved me, and very soon, to my joy, straggling bushes, strong enough to support a few pounds of weight, thrust their tops through the sand bed.

Then came scrubby trees, cedar and fir, oftentimes growing straight out from a vertical face of rock, and quivering from root to tip as I drew myself cautiously up.

I shall never forget the agony of the moment when one of them came out entirely, and let me fall backward. Fortunately its comrades were near enough to save me, though it was with rough hands.

To shorten the story, I climbed at last out upon a small, level spot, which proved to be the longed-for path.

Following it painfully up for a few rods, I reached a little hut, where I found a kind old French woman, who refreshed me with food and drink, helped to make my tattered clothes presentable and held up her hands after the demonstrative fashion of her nation when she heard of my climb.

"Had anyone ever ascended to the cataract upon that side?" I asked.

"Jamais, monsieur; jamais, jamais!" (Never, monsieur; never, never.)

And could she tell me the height from the valley?

A thousand feet! Well, I had had mountain climbing enough for one day, and after a visit to the Cascade, which was close by, I hobbled down the easy path and back to the hotel, to read "Redgauntlet" until bedtime.

When Fred got back and heard the story, his eyes were round enough, as he declared he would not leave me behind again, to play invalid, until we came in sight of the Cunard wharf in East Boston. And he kept his promise.—Golden Days.

AFFECTS MANUFACTURERS.

New Tariff Rates on Coal Felt on the Pacific Coast.

A change of importance to the manufacturing interests of the Pacific coast has been made by the new tariff, if the understanding now entertained is the correct one. Its importance is suggested in a note of instruction given by Collector Jackson to the deputy collectors in the following communication:

In view of the standard fixed by the new tariff of 92 per cent. of fixed carbon as the line of demarkation between anthracite and bituminous coal, you will exact a deposit on all cargoes heretofore passed as anthracite from Swansea."

Under the old tariff coal that exceeded 65 per cent. of fixed carbon was rated as anthracite coal and was admitted free of duty.

Most of the coal imported here from Swansea ranged from 89 to 90 per cent., and so came in free. Under the new tariff it will nearly all be rated as bituminous and will be charged a duty of 67 cents a ton. The instructions given were for the purpose of securing a deposit equal to the duty before releasing each coal.

Immense quantities of Swansea coal are annually imported at San Francisco port for consumption on the Pacific coast, mostly for manufacturing purposes. The kind of coal with which it comes mostly in competition is the Pennsylvania anthracite. Whether the duty is sufficient to cover the difference in the cost of transportation from Pennsylvania or not remains to be seen. If it does not, the result, it is said, will be simply to increase the cost of this kind of coal to the manufacturers who use it.

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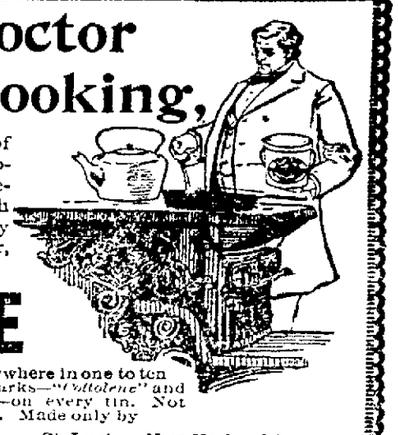

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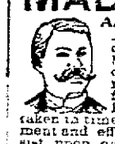

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Men's 25c Balbriggan Underwear.

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Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY.

All Walker Valley was there, likewise Pine Bush, as well as a goodly portion of those who live in towns further off. The summer resident and the native mountaineer went, saw and enjoyed: but the charitable idea emanated from the summer residents—those of them who are enjoying the bed and board furnished at the Mt. Pleasant House presided over by mine host George W.—the Evans being necessary, since everyone about these parts knows him by the given soubriquet.

The tableaux had been given with such notable success for the enjoyment of the guests of the Mt. Pleasant House alone, that it was reasonably, and as it proved, quite justly argued that they would likewise be enjoyed by the larger portion of the little summer community in Ulster and the surrounding counties. The plan of turning the mid-summer diverson to the profit of a worthy cause quickly followed and without further preparation the Methodist Church at Walker Valley was selected as the beneficiary and the tableaux were given on Thursday evening last in the pretty little church at the Valley with the same success and by the same talent as those previously given in the parlors of the Mount Pleasant House.

The church was tastefully decorated in a manner befitting the place and occasion, and the edifice was comfortably filled by a paying audience some time before the first number on the programme was given. It is fitting commentary on the occasion to note that the entertainment being for a charitable purpose, the free list was absolutly suspended, even those taking part cheerfully paying the price of admission at the door.

Before speaking of the very excellent entertainment provided it is just—to commend the committee in charge,—Mrs. VanDien and Mrs. Seckelmore, for their management of the pleasant affair; and no less credit is due Mr. Seckelmore, Mr. VanDien, Mr. Bryson, Mr. Johnson, Miss Freda Dreyfus, Miss Wood, in fact all for the assistance they rendered in rounding out a complete series of attractive tableaux, all of them clearly conveying the ideas they were meant to suggest and being remarkable, when the circumstances are considered for their beauty and charm.

And now the tableaux. There were thirteen in all, and their success completely shattered the popular superstition that ill luck surrounds that group of figures. Seven tableaux completed the first series and six the second. The groupings were arranged by the ladies of the committee, and it is to be again noted that the Mount Pleasant House contributed all talent, appointments, and the larger portion of the audience. We can only give the names of the tableaux in their order, any criticism of them being impossible because of space limitations, besides being captious and out of order. These were the groups given:

PART I.

Jacob's Ladder....
Miss Lillie Wood, Master Shafer and eight little ones

Splinter in the Foot ....
Miss Jennie Dreyfus

Gypsy Encampment ....
Mrs. Bryson, Miss Flint, Miss Flo Dreyfus, Miss Seckelmore and Master Clifford Bryson

The Doctor's Visit (in three scenes)....
Miss Wood, Mrs. Seckelmore and Mr. Van Dien

Bare-foot Boy (in two scenes)....
Miss May Dreyfus

Longfellow Reading His Favorite Poem ....
J. R. Bryson.

Coming Through the Rye (in three scenes)....
Mrs. Seckelmore and Mr. Johnson

Revolution—Grandma's Beau ....
Miss Flo Dreyfus

PART II.

Summer Flirtation (in three scenes)....
Miss Freda Dreyfus and Mrs. Seckelmore.

Visit to the Dentist (in three scenes)....
Miss Flo Dreyfus and Mr. Seckelmore

Bachelor's Dream (in two scenes)....
Miss Freda Dreyfus, Mr. Seckelmore, Mrs. Bryson, Mrs. Seckelmore, Miss Flint, Miss Wood, Miss Flo Dreyfus and Miss Elwert

Village Gossips (in two scenes)....
Mrs. Seckelmore and Mrs. Martin.

Marriage Ceremony (in three scenes)....
Miss Freda Dreyfus, Mr. and Mrs. Seckelmore, Miss Jennie Dreyfus, Miss Seckelmore and Mr. Martin

Good Night ....
Mrs. Seckelmore and two children

Out of this extended programme, as we have said, it would be captious to say which excelled. All was well presented, but it may be mentioned that "Jacob's Ladder," "The Gypsy Encampment," "The Doctor's Visit" and "The Marriage Ceremony" were the most favorably received. This was due to the effectiveness and ability with which they were presented by those who participated in them.

The music for the occasion was furnished by Miss Elwert and Julius Martin, each of whom very capably acquitted themselves. The financial return amply repaid for the effort and for this as the worthy pastor of the Walker Valley church so expressed at the conclusion of the entertainment, the Mt. Pleasant House and its guests are to be thanked. Always to the front in every public movement of any kind, this house and its guests have added another creditable achievement to the already long and creditable record.

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THEY HAVE TROUBLES.

A Book Dealer Given Advice by a Stranger.

Book dealers have their troubles as well as other people. They probably answer more questions than a railway station agent or the bright young man who presides at the window of a bureau of information office, says the Dallas (Tex.) News.

A Main street dealer was not surprised, therefore, the other day when a clerical-looking stranger walked into his place of business and began to look around.

"Have you got 'The Woman in White,' by Collins?" he inquired.

Of course the dealer had it, and was only too anxious to make a sale.

"Have you got 'All Alone,' which is also by Collins?" the quiet stranger continued.

Sure the dealer had it, and by this time he became interested.

"I forgot the author, but there is a book called 'In the Dark,' that is said to be very fine."

By that time the dealer had all the books on his counter and was preparing to wrap them up.

"Never mind," said the stranger. "I don't want to buy. I merely want to suggest that if you have 'The Woman in White,' 'All Alone' and 'In the Dark' that you have a good thing. Good day, sir."

And the dealer is looking for his ministerial visitor to kick him around the block.

Only His Opinion.

"Don't you think every man ought to have some poetry in his soul?"

"Yes," replied the weary editor; "that's the place for most poetry."—Judge.

Susquehanna's Special Rates to Orange County Fair.

On account of Orange County Fair to be held in Middletown, N. Y., Sept. 13th to 17th inclusive, the New York Susquehanna and Western R. R. will place low rate excursion tickets on sale on the dates named, Sept 13th and 17th inclusive, from all stations west of Ogdensburg inclusive, to Middletown. 7,9,11.

WONDERFUL WORK.

If This Had Happened in San Francisco Instead of Middletown—More Than One Reader Would Dispute It.

The average man is a doubter. It is due to this fact, coupled with necessity, that such rapid strides have been made in mechanics and science. Curiosity and investigation are necessary in every business. Without it failure is the inevitable result. Middletown people can investigate the following. It is a simple thing to do. The party interested is a citizen. He doesn't live in New York or Detroit. Ask F. M. Newkirk, of 172 West Main street, if the following is not his experience with and opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills. He says:—"There have been times when I wished I could quit work on account of my kidneys. I have had ten years of it. Latterly my troubles have become complicated, a weak stomach and dyspepsia preventing me from indulging in strong foods, such as I require to fit me for following my occupation. Backache, headache and dizziness accompained this, often so severe that they made me wild. I took medicines of all kinds for my sickness, but I received little or no lasting relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at J. E. Mills' drug store. They seemed to help me right from the start and I kept on taking them until I was cured. The old pains and aches have left me and there is no indication of the trouble returning. They did for me all that any medicine could do. Indirectly they have helped my stomach, for now I can eat the strongest and richest food. I will always praise Doan's Kidney Pills. I can be spoken to any day, as I make my rounds and I will be only to glad to give any further particulars."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50. By mail on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn Co., sole agents for U. S.

Remember the name, Doan's and take no substitute.

Pine Apple Dyspepsia Cordial.

It has recently been discovered that the juice of the pine apple rapidly digests both animal and vegetable food and is nature's greatest digestive. The Pine Apple Dyspepsia Cordial combines with the delicious juice of the pine apple other grateful and superior stomach tonics which renders it the most marvelous discovery and cure known for indigestion, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, sour stomach, weight and tenderness in stomach nausea and sick stomach, sick-headache, sleeplessness, frightful dreams, and all troubles arising from disease of the stomach or disordered digestion. It is delicious to take and on account of its wonderful digestive power gives almost instant relief. Sold by J. E. Mills', druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, Middletown.

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If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac of your druggist, under guarantee to cure, 50c or $1.00. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of whooping cough, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling in the throat, you can appreciate the value of One Minute Cough Cure, which gives quick relief. W. D. Olney.

The "bicyclists best friend" is a familiar name for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, always ready for emergencies. While a specific for piles, it also instantly relieves and cures cuts, bruises, salt rheum, eczema and all affections of the skin. It never fails. W. D. Olney.

THE TAILORS' STRIKE.

The New York Union Demands an Increase of 25 Per Cent.

New York, Aug. 23.—The 1,500 operators on coats, members of Progressive Tailors' union, No. 11, of the Socialist section, have gone on strike. An increase of 25 per cent per garment is demanded, weekly payments, the recognition of the union and a nine hour work day. This strike will close 120 shops, supplying the firm of Brokaw Bros. and a number of Broadway clothiers.

The strikers are advocates of the platform on which Lucien Sanial is the Socialist candidate for mayor of Greater New York and which provides that "strikers must be maintained out of the municipal purse of the Greater New York pending investigation by the municipal council that is to be into the cause of controversy between employer and employee."

Owing to the long standing contention between the Progressive Tailors' union and the United Brotherhood of Tailors it is more than probable that the members of the latter organization will take the places of the strikers.

Secretary Toner of the striking cigarette makers said that there would be two settlements today, which will leave 22 shops still "tied up" and 106 men, women and girls out of work. He complains that some of the contractors since the strike broke out are violating the internal revenue law by having their supplies made in tenement houses.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Mrs. Thomas Leonard of Holyoke, Mass., was walking across a room with an earthenware dish in her hand when she stumbled and fell. The dish was broken. The woman's head fell upon the fragments, and one of the pieces penetrated the throat, and she died immediately.

Efforts of the police to capture Albert S. Warner, accused of being the leader of the conspiracy to kidnap Johnny Conway of Albany, revealed a widespread conspiracy for the purpose of abducting children.

Casimir Zeglen, inventor of the bullet-proof cloth, was shot at from a distance of 36 feet in Chicago, and his preparation successfully resisted the pistol bullets.

The king of Siam has concluded his visit to England and started for Brussels.

Mrs. Catherine Peneleena, the oldest person in Rockland county, died in Nyack, her age being 101 years and 5 months.

Premier Meline has made a positive declaration that France will not abate the duties on foreign corn.

Striking Quarrymen Win.

London, Aug. 23.—The Daily Chronicle announces the settlement of the long pending strike in the famous slate quarries of Lord Penrhyn in Wales. The men have won a complete victory, Lord Penrhyn conceding them the full right to combine.

ROSE NOMENCLATURE.

The Fearful Names of Some Imported Varieties.

Some day, too, we may have a nomenclature committee, who will meet the French roses at the portals of our country and rechristen them with a pronouncable name before presenting them, for which we all most devoutly thank them in advance. A rose by any other name than "Mademoiselle Suzanne Marie de Rodocannachi" would smell just as sweet and we would not miss our train trying to tell our neighbor what it is called. It is to be hoped that the young lady changed her name and that it was a shorter one. Provision should be made in such a case for a like change in the name of the rose. The man who called a rose "Grande Duchesse Heritiere Marie Anne de Luxembourg" had no consideration for the poor gardener or florist who would have to write it on a four-inch label with a stump of a pencil. They don't write it. They simply say the rose is no good; it is relegated to obscurity and so they have their revenge. It is a pity that the French raisers cannot see the absurdity of calling roses such long names and above all of calling them after every member of a family, resulting in unlimited confusion.

Rheumatism Cured in 24 Hours.

T. J. Blackmore, of Haller & Blackmore, Pittsburgh, Pa., says:—"A short time since I procured a bottle of 'MYSTIC CURE.' It got me out of the house in twenty-four hours. I took to my bed with Rheumatism nine months ago and the 'MYSTIC CURE' is the only medicine that did me any good. I had five of the best physicians in the city, but I received very little relief from them. I know the 'MYSTIC CURE' to be what it is represented and take pleasure in recommending it to other poor sufferers. Sold by J. E. Mills, No. 2 Empire Block, North

Every day symptons of digestive disorders—acid stomach, distress after eating, burning at pit of stomach, dull, heavy feeling—Burdock Blood Bitters never fails to correct any trouble of this sort.

Moments are useless if trifled away; and they are dangerously wasted if consumed by delay in cases where One Minute Cough Cure would bring immediate relief. W. D. Olney.

Vim, vigor and victory; these are the characteristics of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness and all stomach and liver troubles. W. D. Olney.

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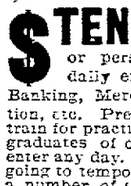

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Has no equal in diseases of the Kidneys and Urinary Organs. Have you neglected your Kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your Kidneys and Bladder? Have you pains in the loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire pass urine? William's Kidney Pills will impart new life to the diseased organs, tone up the system and make a new man of you. By mail 50 cents per box.

WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props., Cleveland, O.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—Fair; cooler Tuesday; light frosts in northern portion of this State.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 60°; 12 m., 71°; 3 p. m., 70°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Aug. 25—Bull family picnic.
—Sept. 1—Reunion Tenth Legion, at Midway Park.
—Aug. 26—Mary Powell excursion.
—Aug. 27—Prohibition picnic, at Midway Park
—Sept. 5—New York Retail Grocers' picnic, at Midway Park.
—Sept. 6—Deutches Volkes Fest, at Maennerchor Park
—Sept. 8—Scranton firemen's picnic, at Midway Park.
—Sept. 14-17—Orange County Fair.

MONDAY AUGUST 23 1897.

The bill for the Pennsylvania Legislature's junket to the Grant monument dedication, which it would have paid from the State Treasury but for Gov. Hasting's veto, included an item of $3,026.60 for wines and liquors and one of $450 for cigars. With such an abnormal thirst to be quenched it seems strange that the lawmakers should have allowed money to be wasted on cigars.

Under Sheriff Howell evidently intends to make his canvass for the nomination for Sheriff as a Mount Hope man, for he heads the list of delegates to the Republican County convention chosen in that town, Saturday. It may be added that the previousness shown in naming the Mount Hope delegates long before the call for a convention has been issued, is an evidence that Mr. Howell is missing no points and will have whatever advantage is to be gained by letting it be known early in the campaign that his old friends and neighbors are solid for him.

It is said that Judge Alton B. Parker, of Kingston, is certain to receive the nomination for Judge of the Court of Appeals when the Democratic State Committee meets, Sept. 15th, to name a candidate. In this district Judge Willard Bartlett, of Brooklyn, will undoubtedly be nominated to succeed himself on the Supreme Court bench, for it is understood that he will have the support of the Kings county organization, and this being the case the other counties in the district will no doubt cheerfully accord him their support. Judge Bartlett has proved himself an able and an upright Judge, and in accordance with Democratic usage is entitled to a renomination at the hands of his party.

CHARLES W. ISEMAN'S FUNERAL.

Held This Afternoon and Very Largely Attended—A Wealth of Floral Tributes

The funeral of Charles W. Iseman was held this afternoon, from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Iseman, on Highland avenue, and was very largely attended, the house being far too small to accommodate the throng of friends who had gathered to pay the last tribute of affection to the friend who had "gone before."

The parlors were filled with palms and floral gifts, over fifty pieces having been received from friends.

Three selections were sung by the quartette, J. W. Marvin, W. M. Fiero, Mrs. J. C. May and Mrs. Walter Skinner.

The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Wilson, assisted by Rector Evans.

The bearers were W. Fitchett and H. K. Burnham, of New York, T. Ed. Hayes, F. M. Stratton, W. L. Millspaugh and F. S. Rogers.

Fell from a Street Car.

James Cooper, of 259 North street, attempted to board a North street car at Easton and Academy avenues, this afternoon, while carrying a basket of peaches. He was thrown to the ground and received a severe cut in the back of the head. He was taken to his home.

Fight on Fulton Street, Sunday Night.

There was a lively fight on Fulton street, Sunday night, when a colored individual was severely licked by a white native, but who resented the former's "poking his nose into a conversation between white folks."

Pat's Been Taking in the Coudee Coudee

Patrick Barrett, the State Hospital officer, has returned from a week's vacation spent at Coney Island. He will spend a week in nearby resorts.

Police Court.

—One man was confined in the new lockup, Saturday afternoon. He sobered up and was let go.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE GULDENSUPPE MURDER.

Prof. Witthaus Has Found Blood Stains on Woodwork from the Woodside Cottage.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEW YORK Aug. 23.—Prof. Witthaus, of the University of New York, to whom was submitted for chemical examination a number of articles found in the Woodside, L. I., cottage, when Guldensuppe is supposed to have met his death, has completed the examination and submitted the result to District Attorney Olcott, who declares he has established beyond any doubt that stains of human blood are on the washboard and pieces of the floor of the bathroom and the piece of plaster found in the bathroom.

HIGHER PRICES FOR WHEAT.

The December Option Touched $1.04 1-2 on the New York Exchange

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Wheat had another sensational opening, to-day, but the market was less one sided than of late. The December option opened at $1.04 and broke to $1.01⅛ under vigorous selling and then rebounded violently to $1.04⅞ and later weakened to $1.03¾.

A BOLD ROBBERY.

The Till of Charlie Marks' Laundry Robbed, This Afternoon.

About 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, a man entered Charlie Marks' Chinese laundry on East Main street, grabbed the contents of the till and ran away. The alarm was given by Charlie as soon as the man had left the place, and several persons joined in pursuit of the thief but failed to capture him.

Charlie was washing in the back room when the thief entered. He got away with six $1 bills.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all diseases put together, and until the last few years it was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and, therefore, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars to any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, AUG. 23, '97.

	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	148¾	149
Tobacco	91⅝	91⅞
Chicago Gas	102⅞	103¼
Nat. Lead	35¼	36
General Electric	36¼	37⅛
U. S. L., pref.	69⅝	70⅞
Tenn. Coal and Iron	27	28½
A. T. & S. F.	14¼	16
C. B. & Q.	94⅞	95⅞
C. M. & St. P.	92¾	94⅜
R. I.	85	87
D. L. & W.		
C. of N. J.	91¼	93⅞
Erie	16⅞	17
D. and H.		119¼
O. & W.	16½	16⅞
Susquehanna & Western		
Susquehanna & West., pref.	78¼	80⅛
P. & R.	26¼	27⅜
N. W.	115⅞	116⅞
L. S.		
N. Y. C.	106	107½
M. P.	31	32⅛
Texas	13¾	13¾
U. P.	11½	13⅛
W. Union	91¼	92¼
L. & N.	59⅝	61⅛
Manhattan	104¾	106
P. M.	33¼	33⅞
Wabash, pref.	17¼	18⅞
No. Pacific, pref.	48⅞	50½
W. L.		
Southern R'y		
Southern pref.	31⅝	33⅛
Sept Wheat	99½	96
Sept Corn	33⅝	34
Sept Oats	19¼	19⅝
Sept Pork	$8 77	$8 57
Sept Lard	4 65	4 65

Blood Humors

Whether itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted, pimply, or blotchy, whether simple, scrofulous, or hereditary, from infancy to age, speedily cured by warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP, gentle anointings with CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure, and mild doses of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, greatest of blood purifiers and humor cures.

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Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

OBITUARY.

Naomi Graham.

Naomi, the sixteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Graham, died this morning, at their home, 23 Grand avenue, of cholera infantum. Mr. and Mrs. Graham are heartbroken. This is their second bereavement, they having lost another child, about the age of this one, a few years ago.

Willie E. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robertson are mourning the loss of their little son, Willie E., who died about 9 o'clock, last night, aged ten months. The child was delicate from its birth and had its full share of children's ailments, which caused the weakness and stomach trouble that resulted in its death.

Frank Silk.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Silk has been saddened by the death of their only son, Frank, which occurred Sunday afternoon at 5:30. The young man passed his twenty-first birthday July 27th, and was looking forward to a successful career as a pharmacist, a hope which was shared by his parents and sister, owing to his success in his studies and the sterling qualities of his young manhood.

The immediate cause of his death was quick consumption, though he had been in poor health for five years. He would have graduated with the Academy class of 1894 but poor health caused his withdrawal. He later served an apprenticeship with J. E. Mills and then entered the College of Pharmacy. The summer of 1896 he spent in Tuthill's drug store and poor health again prevented his return to college.

He tried the examinations in February, however, and received his collegiate and State diploma. He was again taken ill and for the past two months has been confined to his bed nearly all of the time.

Florence, aged 15, remains to comfort the bereaved parents.

Reuben Cochran.

Reuben Cochran died at 2 o'clock, this morning, at his home near Bloomingburgh, in his seventy-eight year. The cause of death was general debility and his last illness was of four weeks' duration though he had been of failing health for several years.

Mr. Cochran was a son of Cornelius and Laura (Reed) Cochran and was born at Roscoe, where he carried on the lumbering and tanning business until twenty-eight years ago, when he came to Bloomingburgh and engaged in farming, until obliged to relinquish active pursuits, two years ago.

He was a devoted husband and father, and was loved and respected by his neighbors and by all who knew him. He united with the Methodist Church sixty years ago, and became a warking member of the Bloomingburgh Church on his removal there.

His wife, who was a great sufferer from rheumatism, died in April, 1896. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. W. A. McEwen, at home, and Mrs. Robert Hunter, of Camden, N. J., and by a son, Harkness, of Susquehanna county, Pa.; also by a brother, William, of Roscoe.

Taking in the Search Light.

Fully 200 people were at the Erie station, Sunday night, to see No. 7's new searchlight. A popular place to see it is at Hanford street and Highland avenue.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills, "One cent a dose."

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Bargain Day is Every Day With Us! AS YOU WILL FIND BY LOOKING.

The End of These Offerings is in Sight.

Printed Silks at 29, 39 and 59 cents.
Ladies' Cotton Covert Bicycle Skirts $1.50 and $2.
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Fancy Parasols at $1, from $3.
Ladies' All Linen Handkerchiefs at 5 cents.
Gents' All Linen Handkerchiefs, hem stitch, two for 25 cents.

Also the greatest values in Worsted Dress Goods that we have ever offered. It pays to see us for Dry Goods.

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First invoice just received. The celebrated Electric Hat is a beauty—in black and brown. The new Tourist and Crush Hats. Straw Hats and Light Summer Hats, at cut prices, to close out.

READY-MADE CLOTHING IS GOING.

Prices will move it. Suits, Pantaloons, Overcoats, Working Pants and Overalls.

MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT!

We are taking a large number of advance orders for Fall Suits and Overcoats. Our new line of fa goods are very taking, and now is the time to leave your orders, while the selection is large. Another line of Fancy Shirts just received. Mother's Friend Shirt Waists.

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1 lot Shirt Waists, were 60 cents, 38 cents.

1 lot Shirt Waists, were 75 cents, 50 cents.

1 lot Shirt Waists, were 95 cents, 59 cents.

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1 lot Shirt Waists, were $1.94, $1 00.

Real reductions in every case.

2,000 yards fine Organdies, about 25 styles, were 12½c., present price 5¾c.

25 dozen Ladies' Vests, were 20 cents, new 12½ cents.

Specials in Domestic and Household Goods.

1,000 yards extra Sheeting 5c.

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Five styles Table Linen 38c., value 50 cents.

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We Have for Early Buyers New Felt Hats, New Bicycle Hats, and All Kinds of New Walking Hats. New Styles of Fall Ribbons and New Fancy Wings.

JUST RECEIVED A NEW LINE OF FALL JACKETS AND CAPES FOR IMMEDIATE USE.

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A Camera or Kodak for bringing home interesting souvenirs of your vacation trip. Let us fit you out with one. Prices from $5 upwards. Full line of Eastman's Photographic goods in stock.

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All Summer Shirts for the next thirty days, at reduced prices.

50c Shirts for 35c.

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SEE OUR WINDOW OF $5 SUITS, FORMER PRICE $6 and $8.

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Suits—$16 up.
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One half of it must go. It is large enough for a city of 50,000.

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Tubular Lanterns 23c., Storm Lanterns $1.98, Decorated Tea Sets $2.89, Decorated Dinner Sets $6.79., Tumblers 2 cents each.

25 China Decorated Tea Sets at a discount of 20 to 50 per cent.

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$1,500 worth of Rogers' Silver Plated Ware at a discount of 20 per cent, and every other article in the Crockery Department 20 per cent off.

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McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North St.

HUYLER'S CANDIES.—Fresh every week"—that's what sells them so fast. We never knew how many sweet teeth there were in town until we began to sell Huyler's Candies. Everyone wants them. We have plenty for all at New York prices.

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TALCUM POWDER is becoming one of the necessities for comfort in the summer months. Our 10 cent Talcum Powder is the most popular article we have ever put on the market, and why shouldn't it be, since it's equal in quality and attractiveness to the regular 25 cent powders. Either Borated (Perfumed) or Plain (Carbolated) 10 cents per box.

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"Spratt's Patent Dog Cakes."

A staple food for dogs.

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AT

HOUSTON BROS'.

DAILY ARGUS.

MONDAY, AUGUST 23, 1897.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Household goods at auction, at Casino.
—Shirt waists, suits, dress goods, ribbons, etc., cheap at Geo. B. Adams & Co's.
—Arabelle's samples ready at Morris Wolf's.
—Rings for sale at 46 East Main street.
—House and lot for sale.
—Toilet soaps cheap at W. D. Olney's.
—48 shirt waists cheap at Weller & Demerest's
—Drawing for watch at Duesenberry's, Goshen.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—*Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local news.*

—Goshen races open to-morrow.

—Regular meeting of the Common Council, to-night.

—The Tenth Legion re-union will occur at Midway Park, Sept. 1.

—Work on the building to be erected for Cornwall's new bank will be begun at once.

—Honesdale's silverware factory has been closed permanently. The business never paid.

—The annual reunion of the Tenth Legion, 56th N. Y. V., will be held in this city, Wednesday, Sept. 1st.

—A party of Goshen ladies rode their wheels to this city, this morning, returning on Erie train No. 38.

—A special meeting of Monhagens will be held, to-morrow evening, at the elevator factory, at 8:30 o'clock.

—The alarm from box 35, Saturday night, was the first alarm from that box for a fire in that section. It was sounded once before when a small fire occurred at the Summit.

PERSONAL.

—Miss Beatrice Myers is visiting at Yonkers.

—Rev. Dr. Gordon left for Quogue, L. I., to-day.

—Harry Duncan, of Newburgh, spent Sunday in town.

—James Hawley, of Paterson, spent Sunday in town.

—Rev. Father O'Hanlon went in retreat at Dunwoodie, to-day.

—Oxal Gaarder, of Newark, formerly of this city, spent Sunday here.

—Mrs. J. P. Copeland and Miss Copeland are guests of Mrs. George Jillett.

—Rev. Father Hannigan, of Chester, was the guest of Rev. Father McClancy, to-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Rorty left, to-day, for an "indefinite time at an indefinite point."

—Miss Mary Margarum, of Deckertown, is the guest of Mrs. Frank M. Stratton.

—Mrs. Evaline A. Hinchman went to Newburgh, to-day, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Townsend.

—L. C. Tuttle, of the Government printing office at Washington, joined his family here, to-day.

—Joshua Oldroyd left, last night, on Erie train 7 for a business trip to Buffalo, Cleveland and Chicago.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Baird, of this city, spent Sunday and Monday with Charles Lutes, of Johnson.

—Miss Ida M. Kerchum, of 147 Academy avenue, has gone to Dunkirk to visit relatives and friends.

—Mrs. A. Thayer, of Brooklyn, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Abram Pettit, returned home, to-day.

—Miss Margaret and Junior McNair, of Newburgh, are spending a week at Joshua Oldroyd's, near Howells.

—Ralph Stratton went to Pittsburg, to-day, to accept a position in the Drake & Stratton Company's office there.

—Miss Nolle, of New York city, who has been visiting her brother, who is employed by A. Samuels, returned home, to-day.

—Fred Woodward, who has been spending a fortnight in this city, returned to his employment in New York city, to-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wells and daughter, Flora, of near this city, have gone on a ten days' visit to relatives at Roxbury, Ct.

—Mrs. C. C. Lutes, Mrs. Levi Lutes, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lutes, Miss Ida Lutes and friend spent Sunday with Charles Lutes, of Johnson.

—Miss Maud J. Morgans and Miss Estella Madison rode their wheels to Montgomery, this morning. They will visit there for a week.

—Miss Fanny Corwin has returned from a tour weeks' visit at Albany with Miss Emelie Phillips. The latter will come to this city this week.

—Miss Ella Morse, with Case & Taylor, has returned from a two weeks' vacation, during which she has visited friends at Westtown and Greenville.

—Edward Y. LeFevre, of Fallsburgh, a Raines' law inspector, and his sister, Caroline H., a physician of Brooklyn, are stopping at the Commercial.

—Freeman A. Foote, formerly of this city, who lived in Helena, Mon., for a long time, and is now a resident of Brooklyn, spent Sunday in this city.

—Rev. George D. Silliman, D. D., of Grace Church, Albany, and his daughter, Mary, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers. This morning they went to Monticello, where they will spend a few days.

—Under Sheriff Howell was in Port Jervis, Saturday, looking after his interests in connection with the Republican nomination for Sheriff. His visit was not without results, for the *Union* gave him and his candidacy a first rate notice.

—Dr. Isabella M. Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. E. C. S. Brown and Miss Lottie Webster, left, to-day, on the Mountain Express for Belmar, on the Jersey coast, where they expect to remain for ten days or a fortnight.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. C. Strack left town, yesterday, for Linderhurst, L. I., where they will spend several days with Mr. Strack's father, Philip Strack. They took their wheels expecting to ride from New York to Lindenhurst.

—A. S. Richmond, a patient in the State Hospital, is a chess expert of more than ordinary ability and his name frequently appears in the Sunday *Sun* as one of the solvers of its chess problems. In fact he solves nearly every problem that the *Sun* publishes.

—Mrs. A. M. Greene, who has been the guests of Mrs. John E. Adams, returned to her home at Newport, to-day. She was accompained as far as Stamford by Mrs. Adams, and her sons, Masters John Edson, Jr., E. Hildreth, and Walter Camp Adams, who will remain there for several weeks.

RAIDED "MRS. SWEENEY'S."

Capt. Veber's Men Captured a Party and the Proprietress Was Held for Trial August 30th.

Capt. Veber has had numerous complaints against Mrs. Annie Dailey's saloon on Fulton street, near Oak. He has been carefully working up evidence for the past six weeks, and Saturday night a raid was made just before 12 o'clock.

Capt. Veber and Patrolmen Vail, Wilson, White and Sharpe participated. Every door was covered and an entrance was effected through a side door. Officer Wilson served the warrant on Mrs. Dailey, charging her with keeping a disorderly house.

All parties present were arrested. There were four well known young men, one of whom with "Lou" Fuller, was found hiding under a bed, and their names were taken, when they were released. Mrs. Sweeney was left at her place all night in charge of Officer Tyrrell. Sunday morning she was held in $500 bail for her appearance for a jury trial, August 30. The jury drawn is as follows: Herbert Barber, W. E. Bump, Jesse W. Canfield, F. W. Rose, J. E. Campbell, Thomas H. Perry, J. T. Muir, J. W. Crans, E. R. Russell, S. W. Robertson, George W. Hull, William Schwartz.

Annie Wood and Frankie Edwards, who are witnesses in the case, are held at Roe's restaurant on James street in charge of an officer.

Mrs. Dailey's is not a new face in police headquarters. She was fined $35 for Sunday liquor selling in 1890, and in 1889 she paid a $10 fine and spent thirty days in jail for keeping a disorderly house.

HAS HE A WIFE TOO MANY?

Reported That a Recent Bridegroom's First Wife Is Going to Make Trouble

It is currently reported, but not proven, that a young man who was married in this city very recently has another wife living, and that she has announced her determination to make trouble. A man was to make a complaint against the groom to District Attorney Powelson, this afternoon, but he failed to appear.

Collided While Running to a Fire.

During the ringing of the second fire alarm, Saturday night, David Eilenberger and S. Louis Wilkinson, running in opposite directions, came together with great violence at the corner of Hanford street and Highland avenue. Mr. Wilkinson was knocked at full length in the street, and it was some time before he recovered.

May Lease or Buy the Glass Works.

Col. T. R. Palmer, president of a company engaged in manufacturing specialties in glass, has been looking over the Middletown glass works with a view to either leasing or purchasing. Negotiations are now pending.

State Firemen Convention Souvenirs

Chief Higham, who was unable to attend the State convention of firemen or the international association of engineers, has received his credentials, badges, souvenirs, etc., by mail. A perfect pair of rubber boots standing four inches high are among the latter.

Buried in Hillside Cemetery.

The body of Mrs. Pauline C. Rightmeyer, widow of the late Eli Rightmeyer, who died at the home of her son, Sherwood, in Port Jervis, Friday, was brought to this city on Erie train 38, this morning, and interred in the family plot in Hillside Cemetery.

A Former Middletowner Robbed.

The home of E. H. Bump, in Matteawan, was entered by burglars, Thursday, during the absence of the family and robbed of property of the value of $100. Mr. Bump was for many years a resident of this city.

Cut Her Wrist.

Mrs. Walter McCord pushed hard on the glass in a door at her home on Grand avenue, while trying to close it, Sunday night, when the pane broke and her wrist was cut badly. Dr. Nelson, who was called, took several stitches in the wound.

A Cycling Parson's Leg Broken.

Rev. O. H. Grant, pastor of the Unitarian Church, Newburgh, was thrown from his bicycle on South street, that city, Saturday afternoon, and his left leg was broken just below the knee.

Explosion in the State Hospital Kitchen

A boiler, which was filled with oatmeal, exploded in the kitchen at the State Hospital, this morning. No one was injured, but the place was well spattered with oatmeal and several windows were broken.

After serious illness Hood's Sarsaparilla has wonderful building up power. It purifies the blood and restores perfect health.

SATURDAY NIGHT'S FIRES.

A Slight Fire in Jacob Larue's House on Bennet Street—A Blaze of Mysterious Origin in Hon. Frank Buckley's Barn.

A defective chimney caused a slight fire in the dwelling house of Jacob Larue, No. 26 Bennet street, at 7:40 o'clock, Saturday night. An alarm was sent in from box 46 at the corner of Academy avenue and Genung street, and the firemen responded promptly. The fire, which was confined to the woodwork in the kitchen, was put out with an extinguisher from Eagle patrol wagon and no water was turned on. The damage to house and furniture is small and is covered by insurance with E. E. Conkling and Case & Taylor.

At 11:05 o'clock, Saturday night, an alarm was sounded from box 35 at the corner of Highland avenue and Hanford street. J. Willis Frint, who was on his way to his home on Hanford street, had his attention attracted by a strong odor of smoke as he passed Wilcox avenue. He walked up that street and found a dense volume of smoke issuing from the windows of the barn in the rear of Hon. Frank Buckley's residence. He ran to box 35 and sent in an alarm. Eagles, Waalkills, Phoenix and Excelsiors arrived in short order and a stream manned by Eagles soon had the fire under control. The interior of the barn was badly burned and a quantity of Standard encyclopedias and books which were stored in the structure were ruined. The origin of the fire is a mystery. No horses were kept in the barn and as far as is known no one visited it during the day.

The building was insured for $700 and the loss is about $250. The cyclopedias were insured for $500 and the loss is $350. Both policies are with Case Taylor.

VETERANS START FOR BUFFALO.

Many Trains on the Erie Sunday Night and To-day.

The G. A. R. encampment at Buffalo is attracting large crowds of veterans and others. A party of nine Middletowners, headed by Aldermen Bastian and Ogden, left on the O. and W. train Sunday night. The party included the Aldermen mentioned above, D. H. Keeler, Jr., John Miles, A. B. Wheeler, A. S. Wells, C. S. Conkling, Alex Merritt and Chris Klohs.

Supervisor N. W. Wood, of the Fourth Ward, started on Erie train 7, accompanied by his wife and two sons, Wells and Robbie, and his brother-in-law, Stephen A. Smith, wife and son. They will be absent for a week or more and will visit Niagara Falls, and Mr. Wood will also visit his father's three brothers, who live near Rochester.

Among others who went by the Erie, to-day, were: Geo. R. Langley and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adams, of this city; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Collins, Ellenville; Mrs. Sarah Coleman, Brooklyn; W. N. Meeker, Deckertown, N. J.

Erie No. 7 went in three sections and Erie No. 1 was in three sections, and there were any number of other special trains to-day.

HYMENEAL.

Springstead—Green

Frank E. Springstead and Miss Susie, daughter of Wm. H. Green, of Slate Hill, drove to Mount Hope, Tuesday evening, August 17th, and were married by Rev. Luther Littell. They will reside with the groom's parents in the town of Wawayanda.

Injured in a Runaway Accident.

Joseph Langan, driver of a beer delivery wagon in Port Jervis, was thrown from his wagon, Saturday afternoon, by the sudden starting of his horse because of the breaking of one of the shafts. He struck on his head and received a scalp wound about six inches long.

It Was a False Alarm.

About midnight, Saturday night, the burglar alarm in J. D. Horton's store, on West Main street, began to ring, and a crowd collected, while word was sent to Mr. Horton. Investigation failed to show any cause for the ringing of the bell.

Coaching Day at Burleyville, To-morrow.

A number of Middletowners are preparing to attend the coaching show at Burleyville, to-morrow. Several local people are judges in the various events. M. Meinhold, who is conducting the event, anticipates a large time.

Wheeled to Dingman's Sunday.

W. J. Max, P. J. Riley, Dr. Burke, James Durham and Thomas Donovan wheeled from Port Jervis to Dingman's, Sunday.

Clarence L. Hulse made the century run from this city to Bushkill and return.

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AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Sunday Services — Home Again — Consolidated Shows Coming — Beat the Bullvilles—Personal Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Rev. Ross C. Houghton, D. D., of the First Congregational Church, of Boston, preached at the morning and evening service in the Presbyterian Church, yesterday. Rev. Mr. Clark will return next week.

—Rev. H. Houston, of Pleasantville, conducted services in the M. E. Church, yesterday. Next Sunday Rev. S. F. White will return.

—Miss Lilly Huffner returned, Saturday, from several weeks visit with relatives and friends at Montclair and Newark.

—Miss Antoinette Samuels returned, last night, from a week's visit at her home in Newark. The balance of her vacation will be spent with relatives near Mechanictown.

—Spark's consolidated shows will exhibit at Goshen next Saturday afternoon and evening, Aug. 28. There will be a free balloon ascension and parachute jump at 1 o'clock.

—Goshen defeated Bullville, Saturday, at Bullville. Score 10 to 7.

—Bradley S. Remer, of New York, is spending his vacation in town.

—Frank S. Wetmore has returned from a tour of Nova Scotia and other places.

—John R. M. Walsh is spending a few few days at Goshen.

—Ed. Reeves returned to this home in th city, to-day.

GOSHEN RACES, TO-MORROW.

Everything Is In Readiness at the Race Track at the County Seat.

By long odds the most inviting race track and grounds in this section of the State is located at Goshen, and many walked in and about the place, yesterday afternoon, and commented upon the fine appearance of everything about it.

The local association has spared no expense to improve and beautify it. Buildings have been painted, rails whitewashed, new stalls erected, and a general air of neatness pervades the place.

The visitors of yesterday afternoon were especially interested in the crack horses that stood blanketed in their stalls. It was estimated that one million dollars worth of horse flesh was quartered upon the grounds. The fastest two-year-old in the world, Jupe, with a mark of 2:13¾, and the fastest three-year-old in the world, China Silk, with a record of 2:16¼, are among the trotters there.

Equally prominent on the grounds was Marcus Daly, the Montana Copper King, owner of China Silk. J. Duston, the well known driver, who is to drive Jupe for the $7,500 purse, is also at Goshen.

There will be three races, to-morrow, beginning at on o'clock sharp: 2.19 class, pace, 2:29 class, trot, 2:50 class, trot, two-year-olds.

Turf and Horse Notes.

—J. W. Cook, of Philadelphia, has sold to E. H. Harriman, of Arden Farms, the trotting mare, Onoqua, 2:08¼, by Keeler, 2.13¼, dam Belle B., 2:24, by J. R. Shedd. She is now in the Arden Farm stable, at Goshen, in charge of Ira Ryerson, and may be given a race or two before the season ends. She made her record as a four-year-old at Terre Haute, Ind.

The Goshen Races.

On account of the Goshen races the Erie will sell round trip tickets Aug. 24 to 27 at rate of 70 cents, including admission and 20 cents for the round trip without admission. 27d3t

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The good kind, dressmaker made, excellent made, excellent material—THIS WEEK AT COST. If you don't want them this season, buy some of our 6c Lawns and Dimities for next, formerly sold from 12½ to 25c. You get what is left at 6c.

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They are coming in now. COMMENCING TO-DAY, AUG. 23d—Eight 50c Shirt Waists 22c Fifty-two 75c and $1 Shirt Waists 49c. Sixty $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 Shirt Waists 89c. Twenty-eight $2, $2.25 and $2.50 Shirt Waists $1.29. They will go.

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DRAWING OF JURORS.

ORANGE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
GOSHEN N. Y. Aug. 16, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that a panel of Grand and Petit Jurors to serve at a County Court, to be held in and for the county of Orange, at the Court House, in Newburgh, on the second Monday of September 1897, will be drawn at this office, on August 26th, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m.
2588t W. G. TAGGART Clerk.

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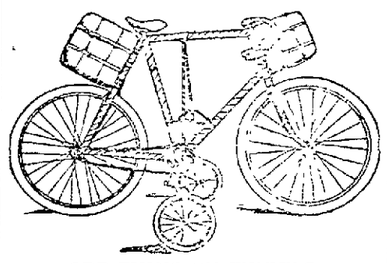
The Klondyke bicycle will be used to transport the supplies over the 700 miles between Juneau and the gold fields by the Chilkoot pass trail.

Every miner who goes to the gold fields must take with him about 1,000 pounds of supplies, and the only way to transport them is for him to carry



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(Designed for Klondyke Bicycle Freight Line.)

them on his back. The most that a man can carry for any distance is 200 pounds. The method now in vogue is to carry one load about five miles, hide it so that it will not be destroyed by animals, and then go back for another load. In this tedious way the goods are finally transported to their destination.

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MISS FANNY HAYES
Soon to Be Married to Ensign Smith, of the Navy.

life she was educated at a little school in Cleveland, O., and later at a private school in Farmington, Ky. In this school at the same time were the daughters of two other presidents, Mollie Garfield and Nellie Arthur. When the ex-president died Miss Hayes went abroad. She visited Italy and spent a winter in Paris. The succeeding winters were spent in Bermuda and New York. Every summer she returns to Ohio.

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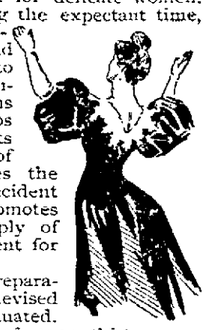

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Dated March 9th, 1897.
H. DENTON WHITE, Admr.
HENRY W. WIGGINS, Counsellor at Law
Middletown, Atty for Admr. wTu6mSpt7

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Isaac Wilcox, late of the town of Minisink, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at his place of residence, in the town of Minisink, on or before the 5th day of September next.
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Dated, April 14, 1897.
ROBERT H. DOLSON, executor.
DILL & COX, attorneys for executor. w6mOct9

SAW THROUGH HIS NOSE.

Modern Researches Prove the Truth of a Story Which Is Centuries Old.

Several authors of the sixteenth century mentioned the existence of a man who, having lost his eyesight, could see through his nose. The story, much doubted at the time and pronounced fabulous by physicians, is nevertheless true if the researches of E. Louhot prove correct, says the Philadelphia Record. It seems that the victim had lost his right eye early in life and later on while climbing a cherry tree fell upon a fence, the pickets horribly mutilating the left eye, the cheek and the nose. The surgeon called in considered the eye entirely destroyed, sewed up the wound and it healed in time, forming a large scar where the eye had been. A year later the man, then considered stone blind, lay in the grass when he surprised himself by discovering that he could perceive through the cavity of the nose the sky and the color of the flowers on the meadow around him. From that time on he practiced for five or six years to see with his nose, which to him became practically the organ of vision. He gradually became more proficient in seeing in this way and could see everything beneath him, while he remained quite insensible to the light from above.

The condition of this man can be explained scientifically. Although the lens of the eye had been torn from its socket by the fall the optic membrane and the nerves at the rear of the cavity of the eye had retained some of the seeing power. When the eye had healed together a small hole in the bone over the nose must have formed, which acted as a lens in the same way as a pin hole can be used to take a photographic picture. This also proves that the retina of the eye acts like a camera obscura where the objects from the outside become visible when the rays of light arrive there after passing through a small opening.

THE LOCOMOTIVE SHRIEK.

Its Invention Due to the Destruction of a Load of Eggs.

It was in the year 1853, according to an English exchange, that the head splitting shriek of the locomotive was born. When the country roads for the most part crossed at grade the engine driver had no way of giving warning of his approach except by blowing a tin horn. One day in the year 1833 a farmer was crossing the railway track on one of the country roads with a great load of eggs and butter when a train approached. The engine driver blew his horn lustily, but the farmer did not hear it. Eighty dozen eggs and 50 pounds of butter were reduced to one common pulp, and the railway company had to pay what was then considered heavy damages.

A director of the company, Ashmead Baxter by name, went to Alton Grange, where George Stephenson lived, to ask if he could not invent something that would give a warning more likely to be heard. Stephenson went to work, and the next day had a contrivance which, when attached to the engine boiler and the steam turned on, gave out a shrill, discordant sound. The railway directors, greatly delighted, ordered similar contrivances to be attached to all their locomotives. And this developed into the locomotive whistle as we know it.

WHERE WIVES ARE SCARCE.

Spinsters Who Want Husbands Have a Good Chance in the Colonies.

The spinster who wants a husband need only emigrate, for if all accounts are true the different European colonies in Africa and Asia, as well as distant regions in Canada, Australia and Cape Colony, there are not enough women to supply the demand for wives.

But when the societies that promote the emigration of women to the colonies send out a party, the last thing in their minds, apparently, is the better chance these women will have to get husbands. They simply send women who lack work to colonies that lack women.

Their character and fitness for emigration must be approved, and then they are sent on the long journey in the charge of matrons, who see to their comfort and are responsible for their safety until situations that will yield them a living are found for them.

The United British Women's Emigration association, the largest of all these societies, would refuse to assist any woman to emigrate if she should openly avow that she was seeking a husband rather than opportunities for work.

Hiring of Dogs.

One can hire a gun or a violin, a house or a dresscoat, almost anything, in fact, including dogs. Setters and pointers are hired for hunting purposes, and they can be hired by the day or the week or the month. Newfoundlands and St Bernards are hired for watchdogs, usually for the summer. Watchdogs are hired by caretakers of buildings in the city, but oftener to take to country houses, where, after being tied up for a day or two, they become well enough acquainted with their keeper to follow him about.

Same Both Ways.

A person with a considerable amount of spare time on his hands has collected the following list of words which may be spelled forward or backward—palindromes, as they are called in learned language: Ana, bib, bib, bob, civic, dad, deed, deified, dewed, did, ecce, eve, ewe, eye, gog, gig, gag, level, madam, noon, otto, pap, peep, pip, pop, pup, redder, defer, repaper, reviver, rotator, sees, shahs, tat, tit, toot, tot and tut.

Visual Illusions.

A physician says that he has sometimes been able to convince persons subject to visual illusions that the fancied figures were not real by asking them to push one eyeball up a little with the finger. This makes all real objects in their neighborhood appear double, as any one can prove to himself, but it does not double the false images.

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Dated May 25th, 1897.
CLARENCE G. CLARK and SIVEN H. CLARK, administrators.
W. F. O'NEILL, attorney for administrators, Middletown, N. Y. dTu,Nov23

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Jane Wickham, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at the First National Bank, in the city of Middletown, on or before the first day of February, 1898.
S. W. ROBERTSON, Executor.
J. F. BRADNER, Attorney for executor. dMonSemFeb1

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A Harmless Habit.

A gentleman living in the neighborhood of Addington tells how he found that his stableman were not in the habit of attending church, and spoke to the coachman about it.

"They ought to go," he said.

"That's just what I say myself," was the rejoinder. "I says to them: 'Look at me; I go, and what harm does it do me?'"—Tit-Bits.

Of Course.

I love to hear the rattle
Of the mower on the lawn,
As it flicks away the verdant blades
The dewdrops rest upon'
It comes as sweetest music,
From every stretch and turn—
That is, of course, when some one else
Is pushing the concern.
—Cleveland Leader.

GIVING REASONS.

Charlie Mushly—Miss Perkins—Ethel—I could sit here forever and hold your hand.

Ethel Perkins—Now, Mr. Mushly, be practical. You couldn't sit here forever, because the tide is coming up, and you couldn't hold my hand forever, because I'm going in now, and shall take it with me.—San Francisco Examiner.

Getting More Time.

"I could not wait and work for wealth,
Such haste was mine," he cried.
"I'll give you then, just 15 years,"
The cruel court replied
—Chicago Journal.

The Reason.

Lawyer Hooks (in the bosom of his family)—Well, my dear, I have given up the Bagrox case, after having been engaged in it so long.

Mrs. Hooks—Then you have exhausted every legal expedient?

Lawyer Hooks—No, but I have exhausted Bagrox' money.—N. Y. Journal.

Fatal Curiosity.

Visitor (to attendant friar at the refectory of a convent)—Are we allowed to smoke here?

Friar—No, sir.

Visitor—Then where do all these stumps of cigars come from that I see lying about?

Friar—From those gentlemen who didn't ask.—Odds and Ends.

Knew All About Them.

She had been to the seashore and was deeply interested in all that pertained to it.

"Did you ever see a shark?" she asked.

"Well, I should say so," he answered. "I bought a house and lot of one once on the installment plan." — Chicago Post.

A Resemblance.

"Death and the people of Germany are alike in one respect."

"Name it."

"The people of Germany like to use money direct from the mint."

"Go on."

"Death loves a shining mark, too."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Fortifying Himself.

Mr. Hojack—Tomdik, old boy, do you know that you have taken four cups of coffee already.

Mr. Tomdik—Well, I'm going to call on Miss Cha-m, and I want to be able to keep awake.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Right Sort.

Briggs—Do you know, I never thought much of Baker until yesterday.

Griggs—What changed your mind?

"I learned that his wheel is the same make as mine."—Detroit Free Press.

In Liquid Form.

Mrs. Coldfeed—You say you used to be rich. Did you run through your fortune?

Weary Willie (with a reminiscent gurgle)—No, lady; me fortune run through me.—Judge.

Not Quite Saturated.

"What a lot of sweetmeats Miss Caustic consumes!" remarked Bjones.

"Yes," assented Merritt. "Everything is sweet with her except her temper."—Demorest's Magazine.

Detained.

Clara—He stayed an hour later than usual last night.

Maude—How was that?

Clara—He insisted upon taking one more kiss.—N. Y. Journal.

A Situation at Sight.

Miss Craik—Er—really, Mr. Pruyn, I must refer you to papa.

Pruyn—Why, bless me! my dearest girl, anyone with a face like yours needs no references!—Brooklyn Life.

The Professor Soliloquizes.

"Yes, my memory is certainly getting better. Now I remember distinctly enough that my wife told me to tie a string about this finger. If I only could think what for!"—Judge.

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25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital Gate
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
215—Rear of State Hospital.
34—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
38—Fairview avenue and South street.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy avenue and Houston avenue.
43—East Main street and Piedmont avenue.
45—East Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Canning street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenue.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenues.
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Dr. H. B. Hettinger, Indianapolis, Ind., says: "For several months after spraining my ankle, I was severely afflicted with Rheumatism. I finally tried Detchon's 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and in 4 days could walk without my cane, two bottles cured me sound and well. I take great pleasure in recommending the 'Mystic Cure' to all who are afflicted with Rheumatism." Sold by J. E. Mills, No. 2 Empire Block, North street, Middletown.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and perfect in the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Ladies Can't Shave,

But they can shake Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet into their shoes and get rest and comfort. It cures corns, bunions, tired, swollen, sweating feet. 10,000 testimonials. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25 cents. Sample free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, New York.

Doctors Prescribe It.

"JERSEY CITY, N. J., March 2.—My physician recommended Allen's Foot Ease, the powder for aching, sweating feet, corns and bunions. I shake it into my shoes, and am delighted with it. D. D. Clark." At all druggists and shoe stores, 25 cents. Sample free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Certainly you don't want to suffer with dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, sallow skin and loss of appetite. You have never tried DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these complaints or you would have been cured. They are small pills but great regulators. W. D. Olney.

Cascarets stimulate liver, kidney and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe. 10 cents.

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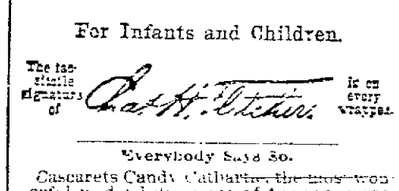

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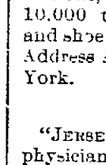
THE ORIGINAL, ALL OTHERS IMITATIONS,

is sold under positive **Written Guarantee**, by authorized agents only, to cure Weak Memory, Dizziness, Wakefulness, Fits, Hysteria, Quickness, Night Losses, Evil Dreams, Lack of Confidence, Nervousness, Lassitude, all Drains, Youthful Errors, or Excessive Use of Tobacco, Opium or Liquor, which leads to Misery, Consumption, Insanity and Death. At store or by mail, $1 a box; six for $5; with **written guarantee to cure or refund money. Sample package**, containing five days' treatment, with full instructions, 25 cents. One sample only sold to each person. At store or by mail.



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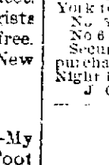

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NEW YORK ONTARIO AND WESTERN RAILWAY.

Time Table in Effect June 27th, 1897.

NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	11 * Milk Exp	1 Daily Exp	3 Daily Exp	17 Daily Exp	7 Half Daily Sat Only	15 Westerlo Passenger	5 * Chicago Exp
	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M
N. Y. Leave		7 40	9 01	1 20	3 05	4 15	5 45
Franklin St	2 20	7 49	9 01	1 20	3 05	4 15	5 45
W. 42d St.	2 25	7 55	9 05	1 25	3 10	4 20	6 15
Weehawken	4 01	9 30	9 25	3 00	4 50	5 50	6 30
Cornwall	6 10	9 45	10 55	3 16	5 00	6 05	7 29
Montana	6 22	9 53	.....	.....	.....	6 13	.....
Orr's Mills	6 25	9 55	.....	.....	.....	6 15	.....
Little Britain	6 30	10 00	.....	.....	.....	6 18	.....
Burnside	6 36	10 07	.....	.....	.....	6 24	.....
Campbell Hall	7 05	10 22	11 25	3 45	5 31	6 45	8 10
Stony Ford	7 15	10 27	.....	.....	.....	6 54	.....
Middletown	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Main St.	7 38	11 45	11 52	.....	.....	7 08	.....
Middletown ar	7 40	11 45	11 55	4 15	5 50	7 10	8 25
Middletown lv	8 45	1 57	*12	*4 55	*6 00	7 20	8 45
Winterton	9 10	2 21	12 26	.....	.....	7 45	.....
Bloomingburgh	9 21	2 31	12 36	5 25	6 24	7 55	.....
Wurtsboro	9 26	2 39	12 45	5 30	6 28	8 05	.....
Summitville	9 38	2 50	12 58	5 40	6 40	8 15	.....
Ellenville ar	10 0	3 10	1 15	5 50	6 55	8 35	.....
Fallsburgh	10 22	3 05	1 20	6 08	7 09	P M	.....
Hurleyville	10 53	3 12	1 26	6 15	7 18	.....	.....
Ferndale	11 15	3 32	1 46	6 35	7 32	.....	.....
Liberty	11 20	3 40	1 45	6 37	7 30	.....	9 50
Parksville	11 45	3 42	P M	6 44	7 41	.....	.....
Lyons Mills	12 00	3 54	.....	6 57	7 54	.....	10 13
Rockland	12 17	4 05	.....	7 13	8 05	.....	.....
Godasia	1 20	5 00	.....	P M	9 27	.....	M 10 09
Walton	2 10	5 45	.....	12 15	3 05	10 11	23
Maywood	.....	3 14	.....	.....	2 10	8 35	.....
Sidney	.....	3 40	4 1	.....	3 10	9 02	2 15
Norwich ar	.....	4 30	A M	.....	5 30	9 37	2 55
Norwich lv	.....	4 35	7 30	.....	P M	10 02	1 05
Castle	.....	6 06	9 10	.....	.....	M 12	12
Oneida ar	.....	6 10	9 15	.....	.....	.....	2 17
Oneida lv	.....	6 15	9 25	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fulton	.....	7 57	10 38	.....	.....	.....	3 31
Oswego ar	.....	8 20	11 20	.....	.....	.....	4 00
	P M	P M	A M	A M			

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * New York Exp	12 Local	50 Delhi Ex	14 Day Exp	42 Norwich Exp	18 Sunday Spec
	A M	P M	A M	P M	P M	P M
Oswego lv	11 40	.....	7 22	.....	4 2	.....
Oneida ar	.....	12 22	.....	5 10	5 20	.....
Oneida lv	12 56	.....	1 0	.....	5 27	.....
Castle	.....	.....	1 36	P M	5 53	5 47
Norwich ar	2 3	.....	6 15	6 43	10 37	7 15
Norwich lv	2 14	.....	P M	6 47	10 42	P M
Sidney	3 07	.....	.....	7 50	11 41	.....
Maywood	.....	.....	.....	8 08	11 57	.....
Walton	3 30	2 15	A M	8 40	12 37	.....
Godasia	4 21	1 30	9	1 24	.....	P M
Rockland	.....	2 35	6 15	M Th	2 10	.....
Lyons Mills	5 07	3 00	6 30	Exp	2 25	.....
Parksville	.....	3 6	6 42	p m	2 37	.....
Liberty	5 20	3 25	6 55	2 0	2 51	16
Ferndale	.....	3 41	6 59	2 33	12 56	Sa-
Hurleyville	.....	4 01	7 05	2 44	3 06	ter
Fallsburgh	.....	4 19	7 15	2 52	3 14	Co.
Centreville	.....	4 30	7 22	3 00	3 20	Exp
Mountain D.	.....	4 51	7 29	3 06	3 28	A M
Summitville	.....	5 10	7 45	3 24	3 45	6
Wurtsboro	.....	5 20	7 52	.....	3 52	6
Bloom'g burgh	.....	5 29	7 56	3 37	3 57	6
Winterton	.....	5 41	.....	4 02	4 21	6
Mtown ar	6 33	5 55	8 15	3 57	4 21	6
Mtown lv	6 45	6 20	5 25	4 5	4 30	7
Main St.	.....	6 22	.....	.....	4 32	7
Stony Ford	.....	6 39	.....	.....	4 49	7
Campbell H.	.....	7 5	8 42	4 24	4 52	7
Burnside	.....	7 22	.....	.....	5 07	7
Little Britain	.....	7 33	.....	.....	5 16	7
Orr's Mills	.....	7 36	.....	.....	5 19	7
Montana	.....	7 38	.....	.....	5 21	7
Cornwall	7 39	7 40	9 05	4 5	5 25	7
Weehawken	8 45	11 00	10 30	6 20	7 09	9
New York lv W. 42d St.	9 00	11 15	10 40	6 40	7 10	9
N. Y. Ferry 23d St.	ar 9 15	11 30	10 55	6 50	7 25	9
	P M	A M	P M	P M	A M	P M

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

f Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.

s Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

* Stop for meals.

Trains leave Oneida 9 a m and 2 05 p m for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 9 55 a m, and 4 15 p m for Oneida.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9 10 and 11 30 a m, 1 24, 3 20, 6 05 and 7 55 p m.

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 6 00, 7 20 and 10 50 a m, 12 1, 3 00 and 5 30 p m.

Leave Summitville for Ellenville 7 30 p m, Saturday only 7 5 p m Sunday only.

Leave Ellenville for Summitville 4 15 p m, Saturday only 6 45 p m Sunday only.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 00 a m, 1 3 and 5 0 p m Sunday only 2 15 p m.

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 8 10, 10 30, 12 35, 2 45 and 5 45 p m Sunday only 9 10 a m, and 2 15 p m

Trains leave Sidney for New Berlin 10 00 a m, 2 45 and 7 5 p m Leave New Berlin for Sidney 7 40 and 10 02 a m, and 2 00 p m

For further particulars see folder card

Lowest rates of fare to all points West One to three dollars less than other lines

Express Trains Nos 7 and 8 run solid between New York and Suspension Bridge Reclining Chair Car from New York to Chicago Parlor Car change free to through passengers, and Pullman Sleeping Car without change from New York to Suspension Bridge

No 5 arrives at Chicago 9 30 p m

No 6 leaves Chicago via Wabash R R 3 15 p m.

Secure rates via Ontario & Western before purchasing tickets and save money Day and Night Express to the West.

J C Anderson, General Passenger Agent.

N. Y. S. & W. R. R.

In effect June 7th '97

New York Ferries	Daily 8 00 a m	Daily ex Sun 9 a m	Sun only 9 00 a m	Daily p m
		SOUTH		
West 42d St	8 25	9 25	9 25	3
Cortlandt and Dey				
Cross street	8 30	4 10	5 10	1 10
Jersey City	8 40	4 25	5 15	1 20
Hackensack	9 01	4 50	5 40	1 45
Paterson (Hadley)	9 20	5 02	5 56	2 07
Paterson	9 25	5 07		
Two Bridges	10 55	6 19	6 19	
Oradenburg	11 07	6 30	6 30	
Franklin	11 12	6 37	6 37	
Hamburg	11 20	6 45	6 45	
Beckertown	11 28	6 53	6 53	
Quarryville	11 36	7 01		
Unionville	11 41	7 06		
Westtown	11 49	7 14		
Johnson	11 55	7 20		
State Hill	12 00	7 25		
Middletown	12 12	7 37		
		SOUTH		
		Daily except Sunday		Daily
		a m	a m	p m
Middletown		6 45	7 45	5 01
State Hill		6 52	7 52	5 08
Johnson		6 58	7 58	5 14
Westtown		7 03	8 03	5 19
Unionville		7 08	8 08	5 24
Quarryville		7 13	8 13	5 29
Beckertown	6 45	7 20	8 20	5 36
Hamburg	6 57	7 32	8 32	5 48
Franklin Junction		7 39	8 39	
Franklin	6 51	7 39	8 56	6 07
Oradenburg	6 58	7 44	9 06	6 12
Two Bridges	7 10	7 57	9 27	6 28
Paterson City		8 03		7 15
Paterson (Hadley)	8 15	9 05	10 6	7 18
Hackensack	8 26	9 36	10 47	8 01
Jersey City	8 48	9 58	11 12	8 27
New York Ferries—				
Cortlandt and Dey	9 02	9 53	11 23	8 38
West 23d street	9 10	10 10	11 30	8 47

f—Stop on signal. *—Will not run on Saturday. †—Saturdays to Sept 11th. The Beckertown Express leaves New York 4 45 p m daily except Saturdays, arriving at Beckertown at 7 35. Returning leaves Beckertown 6 5 a m, reaching New York at 9 00, West 23d St. 9 10.

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Samuel L. Everett, late of the town of Mount Hope, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the subscriber, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, at his place of residence in the town of Goshen, in the said county of Orange, on or before the 25th day of September next.

Dated March 22nd, 1897.

LEWIS H. EVERETT, administrator.
GEO. H. DECKER, Attorney for administrator, Middletown, N. Y.
dMonGmSept20

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TIME TABLE ADOPTED JUNE 27, '97.

Eastern Time.	17	21	1	9	11	33	5	27	15	25	7	29	3	13	23	31	19	35	S. Spec 617	S. Spec 625	S. Spec 601	3	7	29	15	25	27	5	26	16	28	38	6	4	30	2	8	22	14	12	10	26	16	28	S. Spec 606	S. Spec 620	S. Spec 628	Sun 18
	A M	A M	P M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M
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Arrive NEW YORK	4 10	7 55	9 10	10 07	10 18	10 21	10 48	10 56	11 06	11 10	11 20	11 25	11 35	11 40	11 50	11 55	12 05	12 10	12 15	† 12 16	† 12 30	1 10	1 35	1 40	1 50	1 55	2 05	2 10	2 20	2 25	2 35	2 40	2 50	2 55	3 05	3 10	3 30	3 40	3 50	3 55	4 05	4 10	4 20	4 25	4 35	4 40	4 50	4 55	5 05	5 10	5 20	5 25
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Turners	5 10	9 00	10 10	11 07	11 18	11 21	11 48	11 56	12 06	12 10	12 20	12 25	12 35	12 40	12 50	12 55	1 05	1 10	1 15	† 1 16	† 1 30	2 10	2 35	2 40	2 50	2 55	3 05	3 10	3 20	3 25	3 35	3 40	3 50	3 55	4 05	4 10	4 30	4 40	4 50	4 55	5 05	5 10	5 20	5 25	5 35	5 40	5 50	5 55	6 05	6 10	6 20	6 25
Monroe	5 38	9 28	10 38	11 35	11 46	11 49	12 16	12 24	12 34	12 38	12 48	12 53	1 03	1 08	1 18	1 23	1 33	1 38	1 43	† 1 44	† 1 58	2 38	3 03	3 08	3 18	3 23	3 33	3 38	3 48	3 53	4 03	4 08	4 18	4 23	4 33	4 38	4 58	5 08	5 18	5 23	5 33	5 38	5 48	5 53	6 03	6 08	6 18	6 23	6 33	6 38	6 48	6 53
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Chester	6 17	10 08	11 18	12 15	12 26	12 29	12 56	1 04	1 14	1 18	1 28	1 33	1 43	1 48	1 58	2 03	2 13	2 18	2 23	† 2 24	† 2 38	3 18	3 43	3 48	3 58	4 03	4 13	4 18	4 28	4 33	4 43	4 48	4 58	5 03	5 13	5 18	5 38	5 48	5 58	6 03	6 13	6 18	6 28	6 33	6 43	6 48	6 58	7 03	7 13	7 18	7 28	7 33
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Port Jervis	8 10	11 15	12 26	1 23	1 34	1 37	2 04	2 12	2 22	2 26	2 36	2 41	2 51	2 56	3 06	3 11	3 21	3 26	3 31

INSPECTORS AND BALLOT CLERKS

Mayor Berry Announces His Appointments for This Fall's Elections.

Mayor Berry appointed the following Inspectors of Election, Ballot and Poll Clerks, as recommended by the Democratic City Committee:

FIRST WARD.

First District—Inspectors, K. W. Staib, John A. Wallace; Poll Clerk, Ira. M. Corwin; Ballot Clerk, John J. Sheerin.

Second District—Inspectors, William H. Benton, James Caffey; Poll Clerk, E. G. W. Musbach; Ballot Clerk, D. B. Sweeny.

Third District—Inspectors, William W. Green, Cyrus G. Taylor; Poll Clerk, John W. Bowers, Ballot Clerk, M. C. Freer.

SECOND WARD.

First District—Inspectors, W. T. Shaw, W. H. Bull; Poll Clerk, J. H. Harring, Jr.; Ballot Clerk, Fred Osborn.

Second District—Inspectors, J. W. Potter, Frank Kerrigan; Poll Clerk, Fred Hyde; Ballot Clerk, Harvey Corey.

Third District—Inspectors, W. C. Rogers, Timothy Mongan; Poll Clerk, John S. Farrell; Ballot Clerk, Charles B. Wood.

THIRD WARD.

First District—Inspectors, George W. Galloway, Louis T. Wengenroth; Poll Clerk, Leon Simpson; Ballot Clerk, Thos. Kennedy.

Second District—Inspectors, I. B. A. Taylor, James Gavin; Poll Clerk, David McBurney; Ballot Clerk, A. C. Bowers.

FOURTH WARD.

First District—Inspectors, Stephen Wolf, Walter Harvey; Poll Clerk, Thos. Kane; Ballot Clerk, Z. K. Greene.

Second District—Inspectors, J. E. Campbell, Moses Wolf; Poll Clerk, C. A. DeVoe; Ballot Clerk, Jacob Legg.

Third District—Inspectors, Charles Guesford, Henry Gerhardt; Poll Clerk, Charles H. Fuller; Ballot Clerk, Granville Stevens.

REPUBLICANS.

The following appointments were made on the recommendation of the Republican ward and districts committees:

FIRST WARD.

First District—Inspectors, J. W. Phillips, C. A. Whitney; Ballot Clerk, John S. Haubert; Poll Clerk, Clarence Dickerson.

Second District — Inspectors, E. L. Sproat, Edwin Thorpe; Ballot Clerk, Geo. W. Hess; Poll Clerk, W. F. Royce.

Third District—Inspectors, J. S. Cooper, John H. Eccles; Ballot Clerk, Wm. Remsen; Poll Clerk, John W. Fletcher.

SECOND WARD.

First District—Inspectors, Charles B. Hulse, Warner Hook; Poll Clerk, Jacob M. Totten; Ballot Clerk, Charles J. Cooper.

Second District—Inspectors, Wm. Nelson Knapp, James H. Harding; Poll Clerk, Albert Phillips; Ballot Clerk, Jacob Foster.

Third District—Inspectors—Robert D. Mapes, Charles S. Warren; Poll Clerk, Alton S. Reynolds; Ballot Clerk, Dwight Babcock.

THIRD WARD.

First District — Inspectors, John H. King, Charles Little; Ballot Clerk, Warren Dayton; Poll Clerk, Clifford Owen.

Second District — Inspectors, George Swalm, Eugene B. Quick; Ballot Clerk, Warren J. Adams; Poll Clerk, Herbert B. Royce.

FOURTH WARD.

First District—Inspectors, Chas. Z. Taylor, John Starr; Ballot Clerk, Dennis Aber; Poll Clerk, Benj. Todd.

Second District—Inspectors, John S. Reynolds, Harry Sudderly; Ballot Clerk, Chas. S. Miles; Poll Clerk, Emory Davis.

Third District—Inspectors, John T. Robertson, Robert Lawrence; Ballot Clerk, Burton Lamont, Poll Clerk, Chas. Lowe.

Mayor Berry will be at his office every day, this week, between 10 and 12 o'clock, to swear in election officers.

CAUGHT ON MIDWAY'S BRIDGE.

Three Actresses Badly Frightened When a Car Overtook Them.

There was considerable excitement at Midway Park, this morning. The story was told to an ARGUS reporter with such thrilling embellishments that it almost looks as if the Cottage Theatre has a press agent.

Motorman Osterhout ran his car to the bridge when he discovered three women walking the ties just ahead. The press agent says that they were actresses. The motorman rang his bell sharply and three screams responded. One of the women hurried toward the abutment, the others laid down at full length on the ties and continued to scream. The motorman ran his car closer, thinking to assist the women, but they only screamed harder than before and clasped their hands together as they prepared for death.—or advertising.

Motorman Osterhout heroically stopped the car in the nick of time, hurried to the prostrate women, and while Capt. Watson, of the river police, held a boat near the bridge they were assisted to arise and get on the car.

Mount Hope Republican Delegates.

The Republicans of Mount Hope met in Van Duzer's Hall, Saturday evening, and chose the following delegates to this fall's conventions:

County—Henry M. Howell, Charles Loomis, W. P. Kaufman.

Assembly—John Pierson, Joshua Oldroyd, J. M. Everett.

Preached at Bullville.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

In the absence of our pastor, John Houston of the Y. M. C. A. of Middletown, preached two very interesting sermons in the Bullville M. E. Church, Sunday. He will supply the pulpit again next Sunday morning and evening.

A VERY SCRAPPY CONDUCTOR.

Precipitated a Needless Row With a Passenger, Last Night—While Fighting They Rolled Off the Car—The Fight Renewed by the Conductor on the Car

Conductor Abel, one of the youngest conductors on the trolley road, was responsible for a disorderly occurrence which happened at the Holbert place, near Goshen, Sunday night. A young man gave Able a quarter in payment of his fare, which the latter claims was plugged and he declined to accept it. The passenger then went to a friend on the car and secured a good quarter. As he handed this to Abel he remarked: "Put on your glasses and see if that is good." Abel took the fare and replied: "Don't get fresh or I'll put you off the car." "You won't." "I will" and then Abel struck the young man and tried to push him off the moving car. In the struggle both rolled off the car and as they lay in the road rolling over like a pair of snarling mongrels some one rang the bell and the car stopped. A number of passengers jumped off the car and pulled Abel off the other man. The conductor would have received rough usage from the passenger's friends had not one or two outsiders interfered, and with Motorman Howell kept off some of the hot-headed passengers who thought Abel had acted entirely without judgment.

He climbed on the car, rang the bell and the car started. The young man also got on and in an instant Able struck him twice in the jaw. The young man endeavored to clinch with him, and as he did so Abel threw him between two seats occupied by ladies, where he punched him until pulled off by passengers.

The affair ended here for the present. The dis interested passengers on the car, even though some of them interfered to save him from a crowd, think Abel's position ought to be with the track gang or on the stone heap.

A COW'S STRANGE DEATH.

Caught Her Foot on the Point of One of Horns and Could Not Release It.

Stephen A. Smith, of near this city, lost a valuable Jersey cow under peculiar circumstances, Saturday night. The animal had short in-curved horns and it is supposed that while trying to drive away the flies that swarmed about her head she caught one of her feet on her horns. At all events she was found dead, Sunday morning, in that position, the sharp point of one of her horns having penetrated the foot to a depth of two or three inches.

RATTLESNAKE AND ELECTRICITY.

An Interesting Experiment on a Big Pike County Rattler.

William Padgett, of Mill Rift, Pa., who claims to have an "international reputation as a rattlesnake charmer," took one of his pets to the central telephone office in Port Jervis, Saturday, and tried the effects of electricity on it. The current turned on was about as much as an able bodied man could stand and it had the effect of straightening the snake out, but as soon as the current was turned off it coiled up and began sounding its rattlers.

Both Hats Were Crushed.

When Driver Doremus was taking one of Hooks' team to the truck at the first alarm, Saturday night, the horse struck a man, who collided with another man. Both their hats were knocked off and as Eagles' team came out both hats were crushed.

Paterson Target Company to Have a Clam Bake at Midway.

Representatives of a target company of Paterson were in this city, yesterday, and made arrangements to visit Midway Park, Sept. 19th. The committee also secured the services of "Cap" Totten to get them up a first class clam bake.

Base Ball Notes.

The saw shop nine defeated the Ontarios, Saturday afternoon, at the Hospital grounds. It was feared at one time in the game that the 24th Separate Company would have to be called out.

ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE.

When Justice Payne was preparing to marry a blushing couple in his office, Friday night, the bride remarked of her husband-elect:

"He's a tight wire walker, but I'll make him walk a chalk line," and District Attorney Powelson, who gave the bride away, added:

"You bet she will."

The G. A. R. seems to grow in numbers every time any thing like a big reunion occurs. The number of trains carrying these old soldiers to Buffalo has far exceeded all expectations. The roads have been taxed to handle the crowd.

A stranger called in Theodore Frank's hotel, Saturday night, quenched his thirst on "American," and having inquired, was directed to the James street station. Half an hour later he returned and stepping up to the bar, recognized Mr. Frank, and said:

"Hello, are you tending bar at both depots?" He had walked in a circle and had returned to his starting point.

Middletown's business men should begin planning their exhibits at the Orange county fair. It is only about three weeks away and much depends upon the treatment accorded it by the citizens and business men this year as to whether it will be any good to the city in the following years. After several years' labor in securing the exhibition it now behooves every one to make it the greatest success in its history.

BASE BALL AT BULLVILLE.

An Interesting Contest Between Goshen and the Local Nine.

From Our Bullville Correspondent.

Again did our country boys make things very interesting for the base ball team, Saturday afternoon, in this village. For a time it looked as if it would be Bullville's game and Goshen's pitcher was very much worried. In the last two innings, however, the Bullvilles weakened and Goshen won by the score of 10 to 7. The game was hotly contested, as the score by innings will show:

Goshen	2	0	0	2	3	0	1	2	x	—10
Bullville	1	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	—7

Umpire, L. B. Roberson. Time of game, 1 hour and twenty-five minutes.

BITS OF FRIVOLITY.

It is rumored that the hair-line striped twilled fabrics are to be revived. One sample in gray and black mixed diagonal bears brown lines; another in navy blue has fine green lines, and a third, also in navy blue, has red lines. For general wear this material will have few rivals, either in the matter of durability or style.

Cecilia cloth is a new solid-hued fabric which runs the gamut of the fashionable shades. It has a finely twilled surface and a wide wale under surface.

Another twilled material is Paquin serge in which the cord is raised. This, like all plain fabrics, is fashionable in shades of purple, brown, Directoire green—a tone between olive and hunter's green, the shade seen in the Directoire coats worn in the beginning of the century, and so often portrayed in *genre* paintings of those times—and a rich, dark red.

It is said that red has become popular since the marriage of the Princess Maude of Wales to Prince Charles of Denmark, red being a favorite Danish color.

In one of the newer canvas weaves the threads are wiry and closely twisted and the mesh rather open. This exceptionally stylish fabric is known as watch-cord etamine. Two distinct hues are represented in the material. A blue-and-green specimen is very attractive.

A silk-and-wool canvas shows alternate checks of light and dark purple or of brown in two tones. In a basket weave of canvas the effect of two shades is produced by the varied weaving of the small squares or checks.

The *chapeau par excellence* is of black velvet. It is a broad-brimmed, well crowned affair, heavily plumed and picturesque, as large hats are wont to be. The Gainsborough shape serves as the model for all large hats, the shapes being varied to suit individual faces. In one the crown is lowered, in another the brim is lessened and gently curved or bent up high at the back or at one side. The disposition of trimming, too, is made with reference to the type of the wearer's face—at the back, at the side or directly in front.

A new caprice concentrates the trimming at the back—flowers outside the brim, which is usually turned up, and feathers spread fanwise inside to overshadow the crown. The effect is jaunty.

Shirt-waists are made for house wear of fancy flannels having white linen collars and cuffs. Persian designs and colors are wonderfully soft and pleasing in flannel. Among the popular colorings in flannel are: Red with Black or navy dots, navy with white or brown dots, and brown with red or light-blue dots.

The oddest yet most harmonious of color medleys appear in very rough tweeds and cheviots. Yellow is conspicious in one sample of these Scotch goods in which are assembled green, brown, white and fawn.

Flat loops of navy-blue attract the eye in another specimen, the color agreeing perfectly with mode, olive-green and dark-gray. Green and blue in very dark tones are mingled in a third, fine yellow and blue hairs being matted all over the surface which they animate. A mixture of purple, black and white in still another specimen produces a very stylish effect.—*The Delineator.*

MARRIED.

SPRINGSTEAD—GREEN—At Mt. Hope, Aug. 17th, '97, by Rev. Luther Littell, Frank E. Springsteed, of the town of Wawayanda, and Susie, daughter of Wm. H. Green, of Slate Hill.

DIED

ROBERTSON—In this city, Aug. 22d, '97, William E., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robertson, aged ten months.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon, at one-forty o'clock, at parents' residence, 31 Myrtle avenue. Interment in family plot, Hillside Cemetery.

GRAHAM—In this city, Aug. 23d, '97, of cholera infantum, Naomi St. John, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Graham, aged one year and four months.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon, at three o'clock, at the residence, 24 Grand Grand avenue. Interment in family plot, Hillside Cemetery.

COCHRAN—Near Bloomingburgh, Aug. 23d, '97, Reuben Cochran, in his seventy-eighth year.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock, at his late residence. Interment in family plot, Bloomingburgh Cemetery. Friends please omit flowers.

SILK—In this city, Aug. 22d, '97, Frank, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Silk, aged twenty-one years.

Funeral services will be held from their residence, No. 20 East avenue, Wednesday afternoon, at two-thirty o'clock. Interment in family plot, Hillside Cemetery.

BURKE—At Chester, Aug. 21st, '97, Patrick Burke, aged seventy years.

Funeral at St. Columbia Church, Chester, Tuesday, at ten o'clock a. m. Interment at Goshen.

FURRD O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 92 North street. Telephone No. 3. Lady assistant. New York office 154 East 23d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

KNAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, 42 West Main street corner James, Middletown, N. Y. 50 Great Jones St., New York city. Lady assistant. Telephone Call No. 10.

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I. D. OSTERHOUT, Undertaker and Embalmer. Lady assistant. Telephone 158, Middletown, N. Y. 40 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn. 48 Great Jones street, New York.

DREAD OF DEATH.

Dwight L. Moody's Boyish Horror of the Grim Destroyer.

What most concerns us is the relation which Christ's resurrection has to our death and future life, says the evangelist in the Ladies' Home Journal. So many people live in a fearful dread of death and the grave, I believe, just because they do not study this doctrine. They speak of death and the judgment with a shudder, and their vision seems to be unable to pierce beyond. I well remember how in my native village in New England it used to be customary, as a funeral procession left the church, for the bell in the burying ground to toll as many times as the deceased was years old. How anxiously I would count those strokes of the bell to see how long I might reckon on living. Sometimes there would be 70 or 80 tolls, and I would give a sigh of relief to think I had so many years to live. But at other times there would be only a few years tolled, and then a horror would seize me as I thought that I, too, might soon be claimed as a victim by that dread monster, Death. Death and judgment were a constant source of fear to me till I realized the fact that neither shall ever have any hold on a child of God. In his letter to the Romans Apostle Paul has showed, in most direct language, that there is no condemnation for a child of God, but he is passed from under the power of law, and in the epistle to the Corinthians he tells us "there is a natural body and there is a spiritual body," "and, as we have borne the image of the earthy, we shall also bear the image of the Heavenly."

FLY DUG THE SPIDER'S GRAVE.

Grave Digger Took the Measurement of His Victim Eight Times.

Samuel Simon, Sr., a well-known resident of Neshannock township, Pa., while strolling near his home one day recently noticed a fly about half an inch long, and of a dark blue color, with a slim body, bearing a large dead spider, reports the New Castle Democrat. The fly crossed his path and laid his load down. It then went about 18 inches in another direction and commenced digging a hole in the ground. His curiosity being excited, he stopped and watched the work. After the fly had the hole dug about half the length of himself he went to where he had left the spider and took his dimensions. After going back to the hole he found it was not big enough and commenced digging again. After taking out a quantity of earth he again went to the spider and took his dimensions. He did this eight times and as often enlarged the hole. When the busy little fellow had the hole too deep for him to throw the earth clear out he would go on to the bank and force it back with his feet. After he had the excavation large enough for his purpose he went for the spider and took it to the grave, for such it proved to be, and dragged it to the mouth of the hole. After he had the body in he covered it with fine earth dust and finished by placing a small piece of cinder on top. When he had finished the work he flew away. The whole time consumed was exactly 55 minutes, as Mr. Simon says he sat and watched the whole performance.

A SHOWER OF FROGS.

Cloudburst Brings a Deluge of the Dazed Creatures.

A traveler from Fort Ogden, Fla., declared that he passed through an avalanche of frogs ten miles south of here recently, says a dispatch from Arcadia, Fla. It had been raining terribly for three days and the other day there was almost a cloudburst in this county, the rain coming down for four hours in almost solid sheets. This man started out and on the way he passed through a section where for two miles the frogs literally covered the ground. The road was covered and the ground in the woods as far as could be seen on either side. They were crushed beneath his horse's feet as he rode along.

There were three kinds or sizes, most of them being the green so-called "tree frogs" so abundant there. The small ones were about an inch long, the others being two and three inches. There were millions of them and the noise they made was deafening. He brought several along as specimens.

It's the general opinion here that the cloudburst brought them. This is the first time that this thing has ever happened in this section and the people are greatly excited over it. The man stated that the frogs seemed dazed and hardly moved as he came along.

Kansas "Spanish Flies."

A certain old soldier of the triangle country manages to donate most of his pension money to charitable institutions, because he claims to make a good, honest living by catching the quick-moving Spanish flies, resembling potato bugs with a mosquito-bar dipnet, gives them a minute-long boiling hot shower bath, and then dries them. He says that the dried bugs are equal to Spanish flies in drawing blisters, and answers all other purposes where cantharides are used. He claims that he can sell his blister drawers for half what Spanish flies cost, for the reason that he needn't pay any import duties on his goods.

Costly Carriage.

The finest brougham in the world is owned by the maharajah of Ghened, one of the wealthies of Indian potentates. The handles of the doors of this brougham are of solid gold, while the rest of the carriage, down to the tires of the wheels, is of silver.

Communication of Disease.

Prof. Dubard, of Dijon, contributes to the Province Medicale an article showing that tuberculous disease occurs in cold-blooded animals, fishes (carps), and frogs, and can be communicated to these animals experimentally.

Swallow Many Pills.

About 5,000,000 pills are taken every week in this country.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending Aug. 23d:

LADIES.

Brown, Mrs. Anna
Brown, Miss Mamie
Brown, Mrs. T. or J.
Clark, Mrs. Fannie
Crank, Miss Allie—2
Duryea, Mrs. Wm. J.
Freer, Mrs. Mary E.
Lawson, Mrs. Robert
Lewis, Mrs. Sarah E.
Tompkins, Miss Annie
Townshend, Mrs. L.
Tyler, Mrs. Fred
Winter, W. W., Mrs.

GENTLEMEN.

Cole, Wm. H.
Willman, L. L.
Mulquin, Timothy
Parker, Edward
Scouks, Wm.
Seaman, Jno.
Schultz, Michael
Winters, H. O.—2
Wood, J. Edmund

C. L. ELWOOD, P. M.

Could Hardly Get to Breakfast.

"I was troubled very much with my stomach and could hardly get to breakfast in the morning. I read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and began taking it and it has cured me. I recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to all who are troubled with weakness of the stomach."—Miss MAMIE H. HEDGES, Freeport, N. Y.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, headache.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. Only 15c. and 25cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy.

Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

This is the best time to plant strawberries, asparagus and currants. Dwyer's summer and autumn catalogue will tell you why it is the best time. It is mailed free postpaid to all who write for it. All the good varieties of fruits that succeed in this section are listed. Every tree and plant that can be set with safety in the fall is mentioned. Address T. J. Dwyer, box 11 Cornwall, N. Y.

It should be made a matter of public knowledge that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will speedily cure piles of the longest standing. It is the household favorite for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises and sores of all kinds. W. D. Olney.

Croup and whooping cough are childhood's terrors; but like pneumonia, bronchitis and other throat and lung troubles, can be quickly cured by using One Minute Cough Cure. W. D. Olney.

When billious or costive, eat a Cascaret-candy cathartic. cure guaranteed. 10c, 25c.

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NEW TO-DAY.

TICKET No. 40 530 draws watch or trolley hook at DUSENBERRY'S Trolley Station, Goshen. 1t

FOR SALE—One of the oldest established milk routes in the city. Reason for selling have business in larger city.
017,18,20,21&w1t Address X5, this office.

NORTH CAROLINA TARSYRUP cures coughs and colds when other remedies fail. 25 cent bottles. New supply at
CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

THREE Rooms, on Ogden street, down stairs. Enquire of P. DOUGHERTY, 61 Cottage street. 25d12t

DIAMOND and gold initial ring I. O. O. F., gold signet ring, gold lafnglo and gold and cameo rings, first-class banjo and good mandolins cheap at the
EXCHANGE AND MART CO., No. 46 East Main street.

AUCTION—Tuesday afternoon, at 30 o'clock, the following goods will be sold at auction, at the Casino auction rooms, regardless of cost, 3 good pianos, 1 elegant side board, 1 combination book case and writing desk, 1 handsome oak hall tree, a lot of valuable pictures and bric-a-brac. We make this special notice in order to give people who can appreciate this class of goods an opportunity to be present. 1t

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Tax Collector's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the taxable inhabitants of the city of Middletown, N. Y., that the undersigned, Collector of Taxes in and for said city, has received the warrant for the collection of taxes for the ensuing year, and will attend at the City Clerk's office, Times Building, corner of King and Center streets, in said city, on each working day of the week (Saturday afternoons and holidays excepted), for thirty days, from Aug. 24th, 1897, until Sept. 22d, 1897, inclusive, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving payment of taxes levied for city purposes, and that taxes may be paid during said 30 days without fee.

E. M. HAMILTON, Collector.
Dated Middletown, N. Y., Aug. 21st, 1897.
dAug21toSept&Sep15to21

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d23,27&sw2t

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21d&w3mNov19

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CLAIRVOYANT—PROF. W. H. SAGENDORF will return to Middletown Sept. 13th and remain one week at Wm. S. Roe's, 37 James street.
18d&w9mSep17

SMOKE the Admiral Cigarette. Ticket with every package. Fifteen tickets will secure a handsome leather cigarette case; 30, pearl handle pocket knife; 50, Spalding cyclometer; 50, bicycle lamp; 75, handsome watch (stem set).
Electric Cigar Store, No. 12 North street Middletown.
42d&wly May20 N. D. MILLS, Prop.

LOOK—Plate 2½c per pound, Shoulder Steak 8c per pound, Round Steak 11c per pound, Pot Roasts 5 to 10c per pound, Prime Rib Roasts 13c per pound. Save money and buy for cash.
PHILLIPS & KINGSLAND, 76 West Main street. 25d2t

A. M. AMBLER, Jeweler and Engraver, 70 North street, next to Press office. Repairing a specialty. All work fully guaranteed. A full line of watches, clocks, jewelry, novelties, etc. Give us a call.
26d&wly Aug21

SPECIAL SALE of black fancy straws, sailors and children's hats at 13 cents, former prices 35 to 50 cents. Flowers at 15 cents that were 25 and 50 cents. Trimmed hats at about half the former price.
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FURNITURE — LEWIS WOOD has arrived from Chicago with a fine collection of furniture and articles for household decoration, and will offer it for sale to the highest bidder, at the Casino, Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The sale will be continued every afternoon at that hour until each article is disposed of, regardless of prices secured. Ladies will find bargains here.
24dtf

WANTED — Ladies to remember that you swore off on having your shoes repaired with pay. It makes them stiff and heavy. CRAIG sews on the soles, which makes your shoes feel flexible. The cost is no more.

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